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SIR: I transmit herewith a report on retail trade for 1939 by types of operation. This is one of a series of reports being issued on retail trade, one of the subjects covered by the 1939 Census of Business, and contains data for chain stores, independents, and other types of operation. The tables present data for States and for cities having 500,000 inhabitants or more by kinds of business by types of operation.

The Census of Business, taken in 1940 in conformity with the Act providing for the Sixteenth Decennial Census, approved June 18, 1929, covers operations during the calendar year 1939. The facts were collected in 1940 by a complete field canvass of all business establishments in continental United States.

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Types of Operation

INTRODUCTION

This report on retail trade is based upon results obtained in the 1939 Census of Business which covered retail trade, wholesale trade, the distribution of manufacturers' sales, the construction industry, service establishments, hotels, laundries, cleaning and dyeing plants, tourist courts and tourist camps, motion-picture theaters and other places of amusement, and a mail canvass of sales finance companies.

The first census of retail trade was taken as a part of the Census of Distribution of 1929 which followed a trial census of 11 cities in 1926. The second retail census was taken as part of the Census of American Business of 1933, and the third as part of the Census of Business of 1935. In this report 1939 data are compared with those for the census years 1929 and 1935. The data represent the operations of retailers during the years 1939, 1935, and 1929, respectively. The figures were collected by the Bureau of the Census during the year following that to which they pertain, in a complete field canvass of retail stores in every State, county, and city, in the United States.

This report contains table 3, which presents by type of operation retail trade statistics for the United States, each State, the District of Columbia, and each city having 500,000 inhabitants or more. For each type of operation for the area and for major types of operation for 31 kinds of business, there are data on stores, sales, personnel, pay roll, and stocks. The type-of-operation data for kinds of business as shown in the United States summary table include a greater number of classifications than could be shown separately in the individual State tables. This is due to the fact that in a great majority of cases the small number of establishments in these classifications in the individual State tables would result in disclosing the operations of individual stores.

Stores, Sales and Stocks

Sales of independent retail stores amounted to \$31,409,859,000 or 74.7 percent of the \$42,041,790,000 total sales of retail stores in the United States in 1939; chains accounted for \$9,105,825,000 or 21.7 percent; and other types accounted for the remaining \$1,526,106,000, or 3.6 percent. The following summary shows the number of stores, sales, and inventory of the principal types of operation:

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales	Stocks on hand (end of year)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES		
				1939	1935	1929
Total.....	1, 770, 355	\$42, 041, 790, 000	\$5, 116, 583, 000	100. 0	100. 0	100. 0
Independents.....	1, 624, 665	31, 409, 859, 000	4, 048, 753, 000	74. 7	73. 3	77. 6
Chains.....	123, 195	9, 105, 825, 000	876, 948, 000	21. 7	23. 3	20. 3
Other types.....	22, 495	1, 526, 106, 000	190, 882, 000	3. 6	3. 4	2. 1

Independents outnumbered chains 13 to 1, and accounted for 1,624,665 or 92 percent of all retail stores. There were 123,195 stores classified as chains, or 7 percent of all stores, and 22,495 other types or 1 percent. The average annual sales of chain stores amounted to \$73,914 compared with \$19,333 for independents.

Independents accounted for 74.7 percent of total sales of retail stores in 1939. This compares with 73.3 percent for 1935 and 77.6 percent for 1929. Chain store sales, as a percent of total sales, on the other hand, increased from 20.3 percent in 1929 to 23.3 percent in 1935, and fell again to 21.7 percent by 1939. The change in relative importance of other types of operation did not affect appreciably the proportions of these two major types. There was, however, an increase from 2.1 percent in 1929 and 3.4 percent in 1935 to 3.6 percent in 1939.

Of \$5,116,583,000 stocks held by retail stores at the end of the year, \$4,048,753,000 or 79 percent was attributable to independents, \$876,948,000 or 17 percent to chains and \$190,882,000 or 4 percent to other types. The fact that chains accounted for a smaller portion of stocks than of sales is at least partly explained by the fact that they are predominantly in kinds of business where low stock to sales ratios are characteristic. These totals do not include stocks held by chains in central warehouses.

Employment

Of the 6,213,890 persons employed in retail trade in 1939, independent stores gave employment to 4,925,384 persons, of whom 1,602,937 were proprietors of unincorporated stores, 2,803,145 were full-time employees and 519,302 were part-time employees. These employment figures do not include the number of unpaid family members whose service is of consider-

able importance in measuring the true amount of gainful employment. Chains provided employment for 1,121,476 persons. Of this number 794,965 were full-time employees, 323,409 were part-time employees, and only 3,102 were proprietors of unincorporated businesses. Other types of operation (utility-operated stores, cooperatives, direct selling, etc.) employed 132,822 full-time employees and 26,574 part-time employees, in addition to the 7,634 proprietors of unincorporated places of business. The following table shows the number of proprietors and employees, and pay roll for the three major types of operation.

TYPE OF OPERATION	Proprietors	Employees	Pay rolls
Total.....	1, 613, 673	4, 600, 217	\$4, 529, 499, 000
Independents.....	1, 602, 937	3, 322, 447	3, 259, 854, 000
Chains.....	3, 102	1, 118, 374	1, 090, 106, 000
Other types.....	7, 634	159, 396	179, 539, 000

Pay roll totaled \$4,529,499,000 for full-time and part-time employees in 1939 for all types of operation, not including compensation of proprietors and firm members. Of this total, \$3,259,854,000 was paid to employees of independents, \$1,090,106,000 to employees of chains and \$179,539,000 to employees of other types of operation. The pay roll of independent stores was made up of \$3,062,466,000 paid to 2,803,145 full-time employees and \$197,388,000 paid to 519,302 part-time employees. Chains paid \$981,169,000 to 794,965 full-time and \$108,937,000 to 323,409 part-time employees. In other types of operation \$179,539,000 was paid to 132,822 full-time employees, and \$12,406,000 was paid to the 26,574 part-time employees.

Kinds of Business

Chain operation accounts for the highest proportion of sales in variety stores. In this kind of business 86.8 percent of 1939 retail trade was done by chain stores. In no other kind of business did the chains account for as much as half of the sales, although the chain shoe stores proportion was 49.7 percent. Other kinds of business in which chains did over 40 percent of the business are accessory, tire, and battery dealers (45.1 percent), and dairy products stores and milk dealers (41.4 percent). Utility-operated stores accounted for 47.1 percent of the total sales of household-appliance dealers. State-operated liquor stores were important in the total sales of liquor stores, their sales amounting to 42.5 percent of the sales by this kind of business.

Sales by independent grocery and combination stores increased from 1935 to 1939, with an increase in the proportion of sales by independents from 61.3 percent to 67.0 percent for grocery stores and from 60.7 percent to 61.3 percent for combination stores. The increases in both number and sales of grocery and combination stores are affected by the inclusion in 1939 of a con-

siderable number of stores classified in previous censuses as general stores, but which in 1939 indicated that they were predominantly grocery or combination stores. The independently operated filling station also increased its proportion of total filling station sales from 66.0 percent in 1929 to 77.9 percent in 1935, and to 88.4 percent in 1939. The increase in independent filling stations is due, in considerable part, to a change in practice by large oil companies. In the earlier censuses these companies operated many filling stations which in 1939 were leased to and operated by independent operators.

Of the total \$9,105,825,000 sales in 1939 by chains, \$2,832,519,000 or 31 percent was by chain grocery or combination stores. Chain department and variety stores accounted for another \$2,042,203,000 or 22 percent. On the other hand, of the \$31,409,859,000 sales by independents, \$4,857,626,000 or 15 percent was by independent grocery and combination stores. Independent motor-vehicle dealers, sales alone amounted to \$4,679,450,000 or 15 percent of sales by all independent retail stores. Independent department stores accounted for \$2,312,279,000 or 7 percent and independent filling stations sales were \$2,495,741,000 or 8 percent.

Trends over the three census periods in relative importance of each type of operation are shown by kinds of business in this report.

States and Geographic Divisions

In the East South Central geographic division, independents accounted for 79.1 percent of total sales of retail stores. While this region thus ranked first in preponderance of independent store sales, only one State in the region, Mississippi, exceeded the 80 percent mark. In seven other States, the proportion of sales attributed to independents also exceeded this percentage. They are Arkansas (83.6 percent), Nevada (81.5 percent), New Mexico (81.4 percent), Wyoming (81.3 percent), North Dakota (81.0 percent), Wisconsin (80.3 percent), and Louisiana (80.0 percent).

The proportion of total sales made by chain stores ranges from a low of 17.6 percent in the East South Central division to a high of 25.6 percent in the East North Central division. In making use of chain-store figures it should be kept in mind that they include the sales of mail-order houses handling general merchandise, and in some States, such as Illinois, this inclusion has an important effect on the percent of total sales accounted for by chain stores.

Two States, New York and Pennsylvania, had more than 10,000 chain stores each. These 2 States also had the largest number of independent stores, 192,386 and 122,359, respectively. In 19 States there were fewer than 1,000 chain stores and in 9 of these, chains numbered less than 500. On the other hand, in only

1 State was there less than 2,000 independent stores, and in 14 States (including the District of Columbia) there were fewer than 10,000.

Additional data on States can be found in the State tables in this report.

Definitions and Explanation of General Terms

Retail trade as covered in this census includes establishments primarily engaged in selling merchandise for personal or household consumption or utilization, and rendering service incidental to the sale of goods. In addition to those kinds of business readily recognizable as retail stores under this general description, there are included retail businesses such as eating and drinking places, filling stations, lumber and building-materials dealers, and motor-vehicle dealers. The major portion of the sales or receipts must be from retail sales in order to classify an establishment, for census purposes, as a retail establishment. It must also operate as an established place of business open to the general public; thus peddlers or itinerant vendors are excluded. Also excluded are places of business connected with institutions which are open only to their members or personnel, such as restaurants and bars operated by country clubs, school cafeterias, and cafeterias operated by industrial plants for their employees.

Stores.—A retail store or establishment is, for census purposes, the place where the business is conducted, readily recognizable as a place of business. Each separate place of business is counted as a separate store. Included are filling stations, motor-vehicle dealers, market stands (except farmers' stands), lumber and coal yards, eating and drinking places, milk dealers, mail-order houses, and leased departments. It includes only those retail establishments which are found to be doing more than one-half of their business at retail. When an establishment is primarily engaged in service or wholesale trade, it is so classified even though it may be, in part, engaged in retail trade. The number of stores in any one classification is not equal to the number of "outlets" for any one commodity since the store is counted only in its major classification.

Sales.—The term "sales" means total operating receipts of retail stores after deduction of refunds or allowances for merchandise returned by customers. There is excluded the amount of local and State sales taxes which are collected by the store directly from customers over and above the marked selling price and paid directly by the store to the local or State taxing agency. Excise taxes, gasoline taxes, and other taxes which are paid by the manufacturer or wholesaler and passed along to the retailer, are included in census reports in the amount of sales. In previous censuses the schedule called for any State or local sales tax to be included. In many instances these instructions were not followed.

Percent of total sales—1939, 1935, 1929.—The percentages in these three columns are obtained by dividing the dollar volume of each total into the dollar volume of each type class.

In this report the data for 1935, both in State totals by type of operation and by kinds of business, have been regrouped to make the ratios comparable with the content of the three major groups as presented in the 1939 census. These regroupings consist of classifying market and roadside stands and leased departments—independents, as independent types and classifying leased-department chains as a chain type. Formerly these types were classed under "Other types." The 1929 data for the United States and State totals have been similarly regrouped and, in addition, "retailer-country buyer" and "retailer-wholesaler" data have been combined with single-store independents. Data are not available to make similar revisions separately for each kind of business.

Of lesser importance in its effect on the proportions as between types is the exclusion from the 1935 data of repair garages, which were classified as retailers in that year but are now included in the Service Census. The data necessary to make a similar adjustment for 1929 are not available.

In addition to the regrouping described above, the 1935 data were retabulated in order to provide for each State detail not available from the publication of the Census of Business: 1935.

Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses.—The number of active proprietors includes owners or partners of unincorporated businesses devoting the major portion of their time to the operation of the business. They are not included in the count of employees nor is their compensation included in pay roll. Salaried officers of corporations and executives are classified as employees, not as proprietors or firm members, and their compensation is therefore included in pay roll.

Employees.—This term represents the number of full-time and part-time paid employees, including salaried officers of corporations and executives. The number of employees shown is an aggregate of the average employment of each establishment; this average was obtained by totaling the number reported monthly (full-time and part-time separately) for the period ended nearest the 15th of each month, and dividing the sum by 12.

Full-time and part-time employees.—Full-time employees are those who work or are paid for the full number of hours of the workweek. Also reported as full-time employees are extras and contingents who worked the full number of hours during the particular week for which employment data were requested. All other employees were reported as part-time employees.

Pay roll.—This includes all compensation (salaries, wages, commissions, and bonuses) paid during the year to all employees. This item does not include compensation for proprietors or firm members of unincorporated businesses. The questionnaire specified that pay roll figures should not include payments in kind, such as free meals and lodging. Pay roll is reported before deductions for social security, insurance, dues, etc.

Stocks on hand.—The retail schedule form employed in the 1939 Census of Business asked for the value of inventory of merchandise on hand at cost value as of December 31, 1939, or the nearest inventory date, with further instructions to report the cost equivalent if inventory was taken at retail. However, it is probable that in a few cases these instructions were not followed. Stocks held in chain-store warehouses operated as separate establishments are not included.

Description of kinds of business.—At the end of this report are to be found descriptions of kinds of business. Kinds of business not described in detail in this report are included in a more complete list of definitions provided in the publication entitled *Retail Trade—United States Summary—1939*.

Although comparability in the data has been maintained as between the retail censuses, some of the data may reflect changes in classification of individual establishments as well as developments in distribution. Each place of business is classified according to its major kind of business. A change in sales emphasis of borderline establishments may shift the establishment's entire business from one classification to another within the retail census or from the retail to the wholesale or service censuses. For example, a distributor of automobiles may be engaged primarily in wholesale trade at one census and at another census, the greater proportion of his sales may be at retail. Similarly, a retailer-wholesaler of hardware may be classified as a retail store for one census and as a wholesale establishment at another.

Explanation of Types of Operation

The type of operation classification provides the basis for classifying each establishment according to one of several major distribution types. Three major groupings are recognized, namely, independents, chains,

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and other types. Under independents and chains, four subgroups appear, and five classifications appear under "Other types." For the purpose of this classification, the subgroup was considered as the major basis. For instance, utility-operated stores were classified as such in spite of the fact that other characteristics of the establishment in question might have been the same as either chains or single store independents. In the following tables the term "leased departments" includes both leased-department chains and leased departments—independents, unless otherwise indicated. For the purposes of this report the 1935 type of operation data were retabulated so as to obtain type of operation detail for States and kinds of business comparable with the detail obtained from the 1939 Retail Census. Regrouping of 1929 type of operation data has provided, in general, essential comparability, except as explained on page 3, under the heading "Percent of total sales—1939, 1935, and 1929."

Independents

Independents include four classifications. The chief characteristic of this classification is that these stores are local, individual enterprises, usually, but not always "owner-operated." For purposes of classification in this census, three or fewer stores under one management-ownership have been classified as independents. Included as independents are stores which are members of retailer-owned cooperative associations.

Single store.—The retail schedule form employed in the 1939 Census of Business asked each proprietor or organization to report the total number of retail establishments owned any time during 1939. Included as single store independents are those establishments which reported ownership of one store.

Multunit.—Two-store and three-store operations are classified as multunit independents. Also included are local branch systems, usually found in the furniture- and department-store field.

Market and roadside stands.—Included in this classification are market stands or stalls (in or adjoining public or central markets) and roadside or curbside stands (not part of a public or central market). Excluded from retail trade are farmers' stands at which the farmer sells his own fruits, vegetables, and produce.

Leased departments—dependent.—This classification includes a section of a store, such as a section of a department store, operated by an outside independent operator rather than by the store itself. The lessee owns the merchandise and directs its pricing. The store provides supplies, delivery, heat, light, power, and protection, and may handle the receipts, both cash and charge.

Chains

Chains include four classifications. The chief characteristic of this classification is that these stores are groups of four or more in the same general kinds of business owned and operated jointly with central buying, usually supplied from one or more central warehouses. The number of stores includes each retail

establishment and is not a count of the number of chain-store groups. Neither does it include the warehouse or central buying offices maintained apart from the stores. Usually the operation of each store is in the hands of a manager who is not identified as an owner. Central advertising and personnel policies are frequently other characteristics of chain operation.

Local chains.—Chains are local if substantially all of their stores are located in and around a city.

Sectional or national chains.—This type of operation includes the chains with stores located throughout the country and chains operating stores in different cities of the same State or in a single section of the country. It excludes local chains, manufacturer-controlled chains, and leased-department chains, which are separately classified.

Manufacturer-controlled chains.—These stores are operated to distribute at retail the products of a manufacturer or a group of manufacturers who are joint owners of the stores. Manufacturer-controlled chains are primarily interested in furthering the sale of predetermined commodities.

Leased-department chains.—These leased departments are similar to those described above under "leased departments—dependent" except that they involve the characteristics of chain operation, namely, four or more units under a single ownership with the other characteristics of chain operation.

Other Types

These other types may involve some of the characteristics of independents or chains, but are segregated because they represent important methods of retail distribution.

Utility-operated stores.—These stores are characteristically household-appliance stores or sales rooms operated by gas or electric utility companies mainly for the sale of those appliances related to the major activity of the utility company.

Direct selling (house-to-house).—These establishments are primarily the central offices or multunit headquarters of crews of canvassers who sell from door to door.

Commissaries or company stores.—These establishments are operated by individuals or concerns as subsidiary to other primary activity, frequently such as mining or lumbering. They handle a general line of merchandise, may be multunit or single unit, and while open to the public in general, are operated primarily for the convenience of the company's employees.

Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.—Two general classes of stores are included in this classification: Cooperatives engaged primarily in buying hay, grain, feed, gasoline and oil, and other supplies for farmer and consumer cooperative stores. In principal, the distinguishing features of cooperatives are patronage dividends and one-member-one-vote. They are open to the public, as a rule, but their patronage, for the most part, is by members of or persons affiliated with the association operating or sponsoring the business. Cooperative marketing associations maintained by farmers primarily for marketing their products are included in the Wholesale Census. Farmer cooperatives performing both buying and selling functions are classified as retail or wholesale according to the major portion of their business.

State liquor stores.—These stores are establishments selling at retail packaged liquor for consumption off the premises, and are operated by the State, county, or municipal government.

Mail-order houses.—Mail-order houses are places of business confined to the sale of merchandise by mail from catalogs. This classification does not include the retail-store business of companies usually known as mail-order concerns.

Other types.—This classification, appearing at the head of each State table and the United States Summary, includes those stores not otherwise classified, such as wagon distributors with permanent headquarters from which the business is conducted, central offices or branch offices of vending-machine operators, military post exchanges operated as concessions, etc.

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TABLE 3A.—KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, AND STOCKS

UNITED STATES SUMMARY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	1,770,355	\$42,041,790	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,613,673	4,600,217	869,285	\$4,529,499	\$518,731	\$5,116,583
Independents	1,624,685	31,409,859	74.7	73.3	77.6	1,602,937	3,322,447	519,302	3,259,854	197,386	4,048,753
Single-store	1,521,145	27,417,200	65.2	64.9	68.7	1,541,060	2,859,921	450,633	2,727,852	171,168	3,511,964
Multiunit	77,845	3,752,509	8.9	7.9	8.8	37,544	457,580	61,802	510,852	23,913	523,877
Market and roadside stands	16,014	103,162	.3	.3	(1)	17,281	10,656	3,461	7,675	1,078	1,796
Leased departments—-independent	7,661	136,988	.3	.2	.1	7,052	14,310	3,406	13,475	1,229	11,114
Chains	123,195	9,105,825	21.7	23.3	20.3	3,102	1,118,374	323,409	1,090,106	108,937	676,948
Local chains	25,455	1,581,586	3.6	5.1	6.7	2,081	192,943	54,034	207,430	12,334	143,462
Sectional or national chains	82,049	6,771,009	16.1	19.5	12.6	839	830,320	275,887	767,908	91,876	652,734
Manufacturer-controlled chains	10,123	583,062	1.4	.4	.7	36	70,414	7,570	91,781	2,835	65,823
Leased-department chains	5,568	170,368	.4	.3	.3	146	24,697	5,918	22,987	1,892	14,929
Other types	22,495	1,526,106	3.6	3.4	2.1	7,634	159,396	26,574	179,539	12,406	190,682
Utility-operated stores	4,836	151,539	.4	.4	.3	138	25,928	10,642	31,281	5,735	24,250
Direct selling (house-to-house)	5,199	153,397	.4	.4	.2	3,492	40,883	7,993	42,982	2,575	7,803
Commissaries or company stores	2,007	148,248	.3	.3	.3	231	11,980	1,524	13,183	533	16,868
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores	3,698	224,375	.5	.3	.2	—	16,861	2,705	17,546	822	20,621
State liquor houses	2,618	249,430	.6	.5	—	—	7,960	487	10,707	219	18,254
Mail-order houses	454	557,413	1.3	1.3	1.0	257	50,955	2,525	58,487	2,303	100,035
Other types of operation	3,703	61,704	.1	.2	.1	3,516	4,829	698	5,353	219	3,051
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	200,303	2,225,455	100.0	100.0	100.0	178,182	131,102	39,184	110,663	11,657	196,202
Independents	179,335	1,491,473	67.0	61.3	55.6	177,582	69,402	17,823	49,191	4,669	148,916
Chains	20,093	720,427	32.4	38.3	45.7	129	59,892	21,075	59,886	6,915	46,062
Direct selling (house-to-house)	263	3,456	.2	.2	—	228	793	12	750	3	255
Commissaries or company stores	307	4,597	.2	.1	.7	129	346	80	322	24	403
Other types	305	5,482	.2	.1	—	114	669	194	514	46	566
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	187,034	5,496,318	100.0	100.0	100.0	173,799	408,900	108,718	354,140	33,310	343,947
Independents	166,276	3,566,153	61.3	60.7	67.6	175,502	238,454	49,303	188,977	13,358	246,726
Chains	20,257	2,112,092	38.4	39.1	32.2	539	168,626	59,115	185,669	19,871	95,695
Commissaries or company stores	168	8,557	.1	.1	.2	27	472	60	516	20	633
Other types	335	11,518	.2	.1	—	131	1,148	240	976	61	893
Dairy products, milk dealers	16,834	740,011	100.0	(2)	(2)	13,318	101,900	6,791	157,970	2,615	8,096
Independents	13,603	418,408	56.5	—	—	13,199	59,544	4,135	80,877	1,870	5,874
Chains	3,076	308,028	41.4	—	—	78	40,406	2,577	73,848	1,108	2,266
Other types	155	15,575	2.1	—	—	41	2,150	79	3,447	37	156
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	48,015	295,300	100.0	100.0	(2)	45,777	30,578	8,633	20,144	2,844	14,602
Independents	45,579	242,183	82.0	84.2	—	45,533	19,952	6,103	12,058	1,917	13,562
Chains	2,223	51,045	17.3	15.8	—	66	10,583	2,485	7,883	920	941
Other types	213	2,074	.7	2.0	—	178	241	45	203	7	99
Department stores	4,074	3,974,996	100.0	100.0	100.0	560	566,052	113,449	611,706	50,199	561,493
Independents	1,371	2,512,279	58.2	81.4	72.1	555	371,903	56,535	423,654	27,111	317,610
Chains	2,672	1,194,517	30.0	26.7	16.7	25	150,084	54,996	137,826	23,082	153,640
Mail-order houses	24	464,289	11.7	11.7	11.2	—	45,635	2,156	49,676	2,143	89,519
Other types	7	5,913	.1	.2	—	—	450	62	550	22	524
Variety stores	16,946	976,801	100.0	100.0	100.0	9,892	211,786	104,603	121,804	30,920	139,854
Independents	10,555	128,909	13.2	9.2	9.6	9,755	22,283	8,454	11,014	1,737	36,257
Chains	6,372	847,886	86.6	90.6	90.1	121	189,469	96,146	110,778	29,183	103,377
Other types	19	208	(1)	(1)	.1	18	14	3	12	(3)	20
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	21,501	773,312	100.0	100.0	100.0	17,846	66,583	10,336	91,250	4,139	224,535
Independents	19,821	598,737	77.4	76.2	77.9	17,728	52,080	8,522	70,182	3,281	194,072
Chains	1,618	171,579	22.2	21.2	21.2	88	14,208	2,008	20,749	856	30,105
Other types	64	2,996	.4	.8	.9	52	295	6	319	2	358
Family clothing stores	10,053	429,454	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,317	56,334	11,951	58,478	3,883	106,800
Independents	8,935	352,639	82.1	79.0	71.5	8,235	44,543	9,146	46,419	2,939	94,446
Chains	1,082	76,263	17.8	20.9	27.3	50	11,732	2,794	12,000	942	12,252
Other types	36	532	.1	.1	1.2	32	59	11	59	2	102
Women's ready-to-wear stores	25,820	1,009,494	100.0	100.0	100.0	20,711	133,586	27,105	132,674	9,927	127,752
Independents	22,424	894,119	68.8	72.3	74.3	20,448	93,253	18,684	94,951	8,393	101,125
Chains	2,880	285,102	26.1	25.2	22.7	130	33,669	8,973	31,987	3,125	21,520
Leased departments	386	31,705	3.1	1.7	—	100	3,913	1,259	3,303	375	2,523
Other types	130	20,568	2.0	.8	3.0	33	2,551	189	2,453	34	2,584
Shoe stores (all kinds)	20,487	817,064	100.0	100.0	100.0	12,005	64,146	20,226	89,750	6,916	152,987
Independents	13,215	253,822	41.2	45.4	53.5	11,581	24,509	5,401	27,870	1,790	88,077
Chains	5,721	308,818	49.7	50.0	38.0	109	33,466	13,112	55,148	4,569	54,730
Leased departments	1,522	52,549	6.5	6.3	8.5	294	8,004	1,706	8,388	556	9,850
Other types	29	5,877	.8	.3	—	21	167	7	346	1	310
Furniture stores	19,902	973,157	100.0	100.0	100.0	17,361	104,151	8,300	148,311	3,149	213,375
Independents	19,091	829,830	85.3	88.0	83.9	17,295	66,445	5,637	122,900	2,852	190,559
Chains	764	141,684	14.6	15.5	14.2	44	15,474	644	23,108	490	22,628
Other types	27	1,463	.1	.5	1.9	22	232	19	305	7	188
Household appliance dealers	11,095	294,518	100.0	(2)	(2)	4,646	49,185	12,280	80,301	6,820	45,979
Independents	5,007	92,438	31.4	—	—	4,713	11,304	1,492	12,580	782	14,072
Chains	1,214	55,973	18.3	—	—	12	12,242	189	17,289	57	8,865
Leased departments	252	5,147	1.7	—	—	32	730	16	866	7	647
Utility-operated stores	4,449	138,855	47.1	—	—	9	23,947	10,199	28,473	5,495	22,134
Direct selling (house-to-house)	162	4,028	1.4	—	—	77	920	581	1,053	277	211
Other types	11	299	.1	—	—	3	42	3	40	2	50
Radio—household appliance dealers	6,907	190,180	100.0	(2)	(2)	8,483	19,512	2,129	23,598	1,097	28,968
Independents	6,529	160,020	84.1	—	—	8,370	16,855	1,920	18,981	1,004	25,089
Chains	169	19,392	10.2	—	—	10	1,407	81	2,345	23	2,182
Leased departments	49	1,514	.8	—	—	41	158	19	155	11	295
Utility-operated stores	123	7,438	3.9	—	—	8	1,182	119	1,980	55	1,147
Direct selling (house-to-house)	29	532	.2	—	—	54	42	9	59	4	72
Other types	6	1,488	.8	—	—	—	88	1	138	(3)	203

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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3A.—KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION

UNITED STATES SUMMARY

STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, AND STOCKS—Continued

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Radio stores—other	2,911	\$48,675	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,741	5,595	436	\$7,128	\$162	\$9,793
Independents	2,851	39,122	80.4	75.6	79.0	2,731	4,406	419	5,354	172	7,568
Chains	70	9,292	19.1	23.1	19.1	5	1,159	7	1,763	5	2,191
Other types	10	261	.5	1.1	1.9	5	30	12	31	5	54
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	33,809	4,610,245	100.0	100.0	(a)	29,069	316,702	7,969	420,588	4,655	449,096
Independents	33,272	4,679,450	97.3	95.6		29,009	308,555	7,663	406,706	4,587	458,953
Chains	527	129,789	2.7	4.4		59	6,269	104	13,781	68	10,082
Other types	10	1,006	(1)	(1)		1	78	2	101	(3)	101
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	18,525	523,885	100.0	100.0	(#)	14,424	57,801	3,804	70,885	1,539	75,611
Independents	14,500	287,519	54.9	50.0		14,370	32,667	2,351	37,881	957	47,891
Chains	4,017	235,961	45.1	50.0		51	24,706	1,252	32,751	582	27,687
Other types	6	205	(1)	(1)		3	26	1	33	(3)	33
Filling stations	241,658	2,622,495	100.0	100.0	100.0	231,475	235,527	39,115	198,934	13,276	99,401
Independents	230,460	2,495,741	88.4	77.9	66.0	231,127	199,562	36,629	156,625	12,304	67,616
Chains	10,291	288,370	10.2	21.5	33.6	305	32,671	2,155	38,516	651	6,966
Cooperatives	1,017	35,304	1.3	.5	.2	—	3,030	296	3,531	112	2,677
Other types	90	3,080	.1	.1		45	284	33	260	9	142
Lumber, building-materials dealers	25,067	1,476,459	100.0	100.0	(#)	14,002	135,273	19,441	177,271	10,390	332,297
Independents	19,161	1,177,407	79.6	75.6		13,688	109,447	14,436	145,056	6,594	246,613
Chains	5,761	295,582	20.0	23.9		95	26,416	4,912	31,620	1,757	84,420
Other types	105	5,470	.4	.5		19	410	93	413	39	1,284
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	6,480	152,673	100.0	100.0	(#)	6,761	15,842	2,032	19,495	1,319	35,012
Independents	7,427	111,269	72.9	76.7		6,734	11,866	1,616	13,655	1,058	27,165
Chains	1,059	40,586	26.6	23.0		36	4,059	268	5,631	144	7,784
Other types	14	618	.5	.3		11	215	148	209	117	63
Hardware stores	29,147	629,276	100.0	100.0	100.0	28,709	56,762	5,564	63,679	2,486	227,652
Independents	28,641	600,921	95.5	96.1	94.6	28,642	53,614	5,311	60,067	2,393	220,178
Chains	444	25,413	4.0	3.9	3.0	39	2,747	224	3,367	65	6,969
Other types	62	2,942	.5	(1)	2.4	28	201	29	245	6	685
Restaurants, other eating places	169,792	2,135,020	100.0	100.0	100.0	170,002	594,648	60,902	405,696	26,066	34,900
Independents	164,401	1,630,039	65.7	64.6	86.1	169,669	503,235	66,253	332,952	21,607	31,903
Chains	5,067	297,440	13.9	14.6	13.6	219	69,164	14,109	71,285	4,089	2,626
Other types	304	7,541	.4	.4	.3	114	2,249	540	1,659	170	171
Drug stores with fountain	39,452	1,205,241	100.0	100.0	(#)	33,257	158,366	27,015	137,994	9,928	218,799
Independents	36,161	677,695	72.6	71.2		33,163	110,977	20,903	95,539	7,515	182,432
Chains	3,240	326,549	27.1	26.6		71	45,262	6,102	44,332	2,411	36,222
Other types	21	997	.1	(1)		3	127	10	123	2	145
Drug stores, other	16,451	357,261	100.0	100.0	(#)	16,416	33,037	6,246	34,739	2,468	66,084
Independents	17,532	282,625	79.2	64.3		16,352	27,397	5,748	27,629	2,272	77,347
Chains	665	73,713	20.6	15.5		46	5,580	482	7,025	190	6,676
Other types	54	723	.2	.2		18	60	16	65	6	61
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	19,136	566,351	100.0	100.0	---	13,670	25,676	2,929	30,762	1,192	66,203
Independents	15,889	316,899	54.1	48.2	---	13,616	16,291	2,376	16,450	952	45,301
Chains	621	19,675	3.4	1.6	---	52	1,408	62	1,613	20	2,645
State liquor stores	2,616	249,430	42.5	49.6	---	---	7,960	487	10,707	219	16,254
Other types	6	147	(1)	.2	---	2	17	4	12	1	3
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	41,172	1,013,542	100.0	100.0	100.0	37,210	105,484	21,555	123,783	13,083	71,554
Independents	39,763	657,333	64.6	62.6	80.1	36,990	90,747	19,531	103,612	11,575	60,130
Chains	1,154	152,681	15.1	16.5	18.3	26	14,225	1,896	19,651	1,448	11,036
Other types	275	3,528	.3	.7	1.6	194	512	128	520	60	398
Hay, grain and feed stores	16,772	623,977	100.0	100.0	(#)	13,953	35,351	5,597	33,949	2,083	58,677
Independents	14,379	445,556	71.5	71.6		13,895	25,272	3,883	23,429	1,495	42,366
Chains	1,233	74,442	11.9	16.0		44	4,808	794	5,289	322	7,337
Cooperatives	1,144	103,729	16.6	11.7		---	5,259	918	5,226	266	9,132
Other types	16	288	(1)	.7		14	12	4	5	(3)	22
Farm and garden supply stores	4,915	155,312	100.0	100.0	(#)	4,074	13,710	3,109	13,447	1,242	21,498
Independents	4,384	106,676	88.7	75.1		4,014	6,690	1,709	6,836	631	14,664
Chains	121	12,535	8.1	4.7		6	694	76	1,116	26	1,154
Cooperatives	331	25,583	16.6	17.6		---	1,769	274	1,694	92	2,439
Mail-order	36	6,251	5.3	1.7		16	1,171	56	1,260	17	2,609
Other types	45	2,287	1.4	.7		36	1,166	994	519	276	432
Jewelry stores	14,559	361,595	100.0	100.0	100.0	13,077	35,249	2,808	53,965	1,302	162,599
Independents	13,993	321,746	89.0	90.4	93.0	13,025	30,976	2,545	47,247	1,184	154,650
Chains	540	38,014	10.5	9.4	6.4	30	4,095	257	6,480	116	7,573
Other types	26	1,635	.5	.2	.6	22	176	6	236	2	376
Cigar stores, cigar stands	16,504	207,761	100.0	100.0	100.0	16,748	14,425	2,617	14,085	643	16,458
Independents	16,866	150,060	72.2	61.9	73.5	16,675	9,623	2,165	6,261	699	13,752
Chains	1,553	56,500	27.1	35.6	25.1	29	4,627	403	5,681	134	4,622
Other types	65	1,421	.7	2.3	1.4	44	175	29	163	10	62
Florists	16,055	149,741	100.0	100.0	(#)	16,074	23,126	4,327	22,641	1,730	9,493
Independents	15,933	144,109	96.9	96.5		16,049	22,454	4,261	21,776	1,708	9,320
Chains	102	4,558	3.1	3.5		6	663	61	659	20	172
Other types	20	74	(1)	(1)		19	11	5	6	2	1
News dealers	7,407	72,427	100.0	100.0	(#)	6,038	11,671	5,080	6,335	961	3,894
Independents	6,051	52,501	72.5	88.7		6,017	7,644	4,177	3,365	730	3,321
Chains	1,342	19,766	27.3	30.7		8	3,791	873	2,935	225	573
Other types	14	160	.2	.6		13	36	30	15	6	---
All other kinds of business	455,572	6,712,992	100.0	100.0	100.0	456,676	784,577	157,252	735,336	56,510	970,614

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3B.—GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS AND STATES
BY TYPES OF OPERATION
STORES AND SALES

UNITED STATES SUMMARY

DIVISION AND STATE	TOTAL, ALL TYPES		INDEPENDENTS			CHAINS ¹			OTHER TYPES ¹		
	Stores	Sales (Add 000)	Stores	Sales (Add 000)		Stores	Sales (Add 000)		Stores	Sales (Add 000)	
				Amount	Per-cent		Amount	Per-cent		Amount	Per-cent
UNITED STATES.....	1939 1,770,555 1935 1,587,718 1929 1,543,158	42,041,790 52,791,212 49,114,653	1,624,665 1,435,054 1,380,607	\$31,409,659 24,020,134 36,124,439	74.7 75.3 77.6	125,195 131,430 151,712	\$9,105,625 7,653,416 9,964,547	21.7 25.3 20.3	22,495 21,234 10,639	\$1,526,106 1,117,862 1,025,867	3.6 3.4 2.1
New England.....	121,888	3,316,214	109,119	2,456,793	74.0	11,239	796,726	24.1	1,530	62,693	1.9
Maine.....	15,455	261,356	12,329	216,771	77.0	671	53,720	19.1	255	10,865	3.9
New Hampshire.....	7,435	163,100	6,690	136,300	75.5	624	56,582	21.1	121	6,216	3.4
Vermont.....	5,425	123,369	4,891	95,671	77.7	583	22,944	16.6	149	4,554	3.7
Massachusetts ¹	59,217	1,737,680	52,206	1,254,028	72.2	6,545	456,840	26.3	664	26,612	1.5
Rhode Island.....	10,465	275,447	9,554	205,947	74.0	622	66,864	24.3	109	4,636	1.7
Connecticut.....	25,673	717,262	23,447	547,676	76.4	2,194	159,776	22.5	232	9,606	1.3
Middle Atlantic.....	412,619	10,291,937	377,607	7,646,665	74.3	31,531	2,396,650	23.3	3,881	246,602	2.4
New York ¹	209,425	5,576,159	192,586	4,169,176	75.1	15,629	1,502,401	25.3	1,210	66,580	1.6
New Jersey.....	68,651	1,580,401	62,662	1,213,058	76.6	5,434	343,106	21.7	555	24,235	1.5
Pennsylvania ¹	134,543	3,133,377	122,359	2,244,449	71.6	10,068	753,141	24.0	2,116	135,767	4.4
East North Central.....	364,508	9,251,114	331,905	6,626,524	71.6	26,599	2,371,480	325.6	4,004	253,110	2.6
Ohio.....	95,041	2,441,293	85,440	1,776,461	72.9	6,163	564,531	25.1	1,416	98,501	4.0
Indiana.....	47,517	1,066,385	43,489	802,963	75.3	5,317	240,567	22.5	511	25,033	2.2
Illinois ¹	109,132	2,657,646	99,739	1,677,740	65.7	6,666	930,046	332.5	727	49,660	1.6
Michigan.....	67,414	1,620,798	60,951	1,312,288	72.1	5,734	453,761	24.9	729	54,749	3.0
Wisconsin.....	47,604	1,084,994	44,266	655,052	80.3	2,699	182,975	17.2	619	26,967	2.5
West North Central.....	197,909	4,136,885	162,442	3,205,244	77.4	11,692	628,265	20.0	3,575	105,354	2.6
Minnesota ¹	40,448	1,017,195	37,417	802,765	76.9	2,106	188,261	16.5	925	26,149	2.6
Iowa.....	39,024	622,905	35,551	849,325	76.9	2,521	147,944	16.0	652	25,656	3.1
Missouri ¹	53,196	1,102,503	49,326	607,904	73.3	5,382	269,413	24.4	488	25,166	2.3
North Dakota.....	6,549	156,137	7,670	126,443	61.0	516	27,209	17.4	161	2,465	1.6
South Dakota.....	9,617	169,396	6,933	131,558	77.7	576	32,422	19.1	308	5,416	3.2
Nebraska.....	19,330	397,196	17,682	316,915	79.6	1,208	69,705	17.5	440	10,576	2.7
Kansas.....	27,545	473,551	25,563	370,314	76.2	1,761	93,531	19.7	401	9,906	2.1
South Atlantic.....	199,371	4,368,947	164,602	3,276,846	75.1	11,924	951,652	21.5	2,845	158,249	3.6
Delaware.....	4,544	110,052	4,227	86,926	79.0	262	20,679	19.0	55	2,247	2.0
Maryland ¹	25,566	619,273	23,619	475,628	76.6	1,546	132,617	21.5	201	10,628	1.7
District of Columbia.....	6,893	402,766	5,627	291,584	72.4	1,033	107,197	26.6	33	3,967	1.0
Virginia.....	29,610	628,172	27,517	469,452	74.7	1,771	120,746	19.2	522	37,974	6.1
West Virginia.....	18,928	403,989	17,019	256,669	63.5	1,196	67,672	21.7	713	59,648	14.8
North Carolina.....	33,628	633,240	31,767	494,628	76.1	1,862	121,026	19.1	597	17,584	2.6
South Carolina.....	16,520	352,224	17,565	264,301	79.6	991	60,214	16.1	184	7,709	2.3
Georgia ¹	32,670	624,765	30,582	464,404	74.3	2,077	150,795	24.2	411	9,568	1.5
Florida.....	28,614	614,464	26,679	475,054	77.3	1,386	130,506	21.2	349	6,904	1.5
East South Central.....	101,065	1,845,037	94,706	1,460,426	79.1	4,849	325,896	17.6	1,506	60,715	3.3
Kentucky.....	30,919	520,155	28,089	404,770	77.6	1,395	85,274	16.3	435	20,091	3.9
Tennessee ¹	23,196	806,469	26,167	473,446	76.1	1,690	123,064	20.3	541	9,979	1.8
Alabama.....	23,616	435,973	22,280	356,159	77.1	1,179	74,689	17.5	457	24,945	5.7
Mississippi.....	18,032	282,440	17,172	246,053	67.1	565	50,689	10.9	275	5,696	2.0
West South Central.....	159,766	3,101,358	149,566	2,440,476	76.7	6,526	617,157	19.9	1,674	43,725	1.4
Arkansas.....	20,528	296,301	19,246	249,644	63.6	749	42,621	14.4	333	5,656	2.0
Louisiana.....	25,469	486,250	24,032	369,054	60.0	1,155	67,402	16.0	282	9,794	2.0
Oklahoma.....	29,722	513,091	26,855	396,924	77.6	1,714	108,960	21.2	173	5,207	1.0
Texas ¹	65,249	1,903,716	79,453	1,402,656	77.6	4,610	377,974	20.9	866	22,686	1.5
Mountain.....	57,459	1,427,541	52,775	1,102,892	77.3	3,212	261,036	19.7	1,474	43,611	3.0
Montana.....	6,481	222,008	7,644	174,937	76.6	476	37,680	17.0	359	9,411	4.2
Idaho.....	6,904	175,873	6,114	134,664	76.6	427	34,401	19.5	263	6,806	3.9
Wyoming.....	4,113	100,233	3,612	61,472	61.5	217	16,227	16.2	64	2,534	2.5
Colorado ¹	16,765	409,103	15,607	315,776	77.2	653	84,757	20.7	325	6,568	2.1
New Mexico.....	6,617	125,785	6,274	102,419	61.4	263	20,939	16.7	60	2,407	1.9
Arizona.....	6,242	162,003	5,762	121,937	75.2	414	34,654	21.4	66	5,512	3.4
Utah.....	6,372	170,726	5,637	121,415	71.1	457	41,454	24.3	276	7,659	4.6
Nevada.....	2,045	61,928	1,923	50,370	61.5	103	10,946	17.7	19	512	.6
Pacific.....	155,568	4,299,759	141,943	3,191,969	74.3	11,645	1,019,026	23.7	1,980	67,762	2.0
Washington ¹	26,692	669,790	24,439	502,312	75.1	1,619	137,992	20.6	624	23,498	4.5
Oregon.....	16,458	442,160	15,116	353,623	75.4	941	92,672	21.0	401	15,665	3.6
California ¹	112,428	3,167,909	102,398	2,556,034	73.9	9,065	788,164	24.7	955	43,611	1.4

¹ Units, owned by mail-order concerns, which are engaged primarily in filling orders received by mail, are classified as "Mail-order houses" in the United States summary portion of this report. Such establishments are included with "Chain" in State totals in this table in order to avoid disclosing the operations of individual establishments. Therefore the sums of the State figures for "Chains" and "Other types" differ from the United States totals by 24 mail-order units, which reported sales of \$464,269,000.

* Figures for 1935 and 1929 have been adjusted between types as grouped for 1939. Figures for 1935 revised to exclude service garages classified that year as Retail but included in Service Census in 1939. Data to adjust 1929 figures are not available.

³ Materially affected by inclusion of data for mail-order houses. See footnote (1).

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

ALABAMA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	23,916	\$435,973	100.0	100.0	100.0	21,715	51,830	9,013	\$37,826	\$2,077	\$55,987
Independents	22,280	336,159	77.1	78.8	81.3	21,601	39,203	4,963	28,077	1,171	45,983
Single-store.....	21,258	303,702	69.7	72.4	75.3	21,017	34,565	4,366	24,621	1,039	41,015
Multiunit.....	860	30,308	7.0	6.2	7.8	450	4,308	538	3,188	114	4,659
Market and roadside stands.....	80	156	(1)	.1	—	73	29	6	12	1	—
Leased departments—-independent.....	82	1,993	.4	.1	.2	61	301	53	256	17	309
Chains	1,179	74,869	17.2	17.1	14.7	25	10,694	3,802	7,653	815	7,463
Local chains.....	162	7,354	1.7	3.7	5.9	14	930	82	640	12	845
Sectional or national chains.....	853	59,752	13.7	12.9	10.0	10	8,749	3,607	5,809	768	5,687
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	98	6,321	1.5	.3	.6	—	755	41	980	14	738
Leased-department chains.....	68	1,442	.3	.2	.2	1	260	72	224	21	193
Other types	457	24,945	5.7	4.1	4.0	89	1,933	248	2,096	91	2,541
Utility-operated stores.....	114	1,772	.4	.8	.5	1	291	73	395	45	376
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	71	929	.2	.1	.1	47	301	2	219	1	84
Commissaries or company stores.....	142	11,222	2.6	2.7	2.9	18	915	103	1,086	35	1,178
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	45	1,638	.4	.3	.2	—	153	40	100	7	127
Other types of operation.....	85	9,384	2.1	.2	.3	25	275	30	296	3	776
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	5,318	26,650	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,954	1,487	434	742	73	2,502
Independents.....	5,211	23,552	88.4	75.7	69.2	4,924	1,153	258	505	41	2,293
Chains.....	68	2,749	10.3	23.7	30.3	—	311	173	222	31	188
Other types.....	39	549	1.3	.6	.5	30	23	3	15	1	21
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	2,812	63,015	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,482	8,064	1,693	3,739	330	4,142
Independents.....	2,451	37,410	59.4	62.4	57.7	2,479	3,658	678	1,949	126	2,720
Chains.....	369	25,072	59.8	36.4	42.3	2	2,358	1,007	1,744	202	1,378
Other types.....	12	533	.8	1.2	—	1	48	7	46	2	46
Dairy products, milk dealers	52	833	100.0	(2)	(2)	25	207	11	145	4	7
Independents.....	36	671	80.6	—	—	24	171	11	114	4	7
Chains.....	15	162	19.4	—	—	1	36	—	31	—	—
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	121	410	100.0	100.0	(2)	120	58	10	24	2	14
Independents.....	118	408	99.5	99.4	—	117	58	10	24	2	13
Chains.....	3	2	.5	.6	—	3	—	—	—	—	1
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores	47	24,188	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	4,007	908	3,253	281	3,649
Independents.....	23	16,525	88.3	83.7	77.5	23	3,031	565	2,480	178	2,595
Chains.....	24	7,861	31.7	16.3	17.7	—	976	343	773	103	1,054
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores	229	13,531	100.0	100.0	100.0	122	3,185	1,702	1,354	320	2,076
Independents.....	131	11,465	10.8	9.9	15.5	118	329	141	115	18	441
Chain.....	98	12,066	89.2	90.1	84.5	4	2,856	1,561	1,239	302	1,635
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	149	5,083	100.0	100.0	100.0	122	483	54	520	17	1,354
Independents.....	130	4,177	82.2	84.0	90.1	122	405	49	425	14	1,203
Chains.....	19	906	17.8	16.0	5.3	—	78	5	95	3	151
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores	249	9,276	100.0	100.0	100.0	227	1,330	300	1,099	72	2,459
Independents.....	231	8,356	90.1	93.3	80.8	225	1,164	257	952	59	2,359
Chains.....	18	920	9.9	8.7	19.2	2	166	43	147	13	80
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores	218	6,853	100.0	100.0	100.0	165	964	188	710	47	949
Independents.....	178	4,242	61.9	65.1	70.9	165	658	104	488	23	727
Chains.....	40	2,611	38.1	34.9	23.8	—	306	84	222	24	222
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	5.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."											
Shoe stores (all kinds)	156	5,418	100.0	100.0	100.0	81	631	230	590	57	1,122
Independents.....	85	2,057	38.0	55.2	46.6	72	229	53	208	10	537
Chains.....	42	2,382	44.0	32.2	41.7	3	287	137	256	38	355
Leased departments.....	29	979	18.0	12.6	11.7	6	115	40	128	9	230
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores	395	15,861	100.0	100.0	100.0	354	2,017	60	2,334	18	2,650
Independents.....	378	13,862	87.4	90.9	84.2	354	1,778	58	2,036	17	2,371
Chains.....	17	1,999	12.6	9.1	11.5	—	239	2	298	1	279
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."											
Household appliance dealers	161	2,683	100.0	(2)	(2)	29	496	81	623	47	551
Independents.....	34	285	10.6	—	—	29	56	8	43	2	50
Chains.....	15	850	24.2	—	—	—	151	—	187	—	111
Utility-operated stores.....	112	1,748	65.2	—	—	—	289	73	393	45	370
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."											
Radio—household appliance dealers	55	954	100.0	(2)	(2)	51	135	18	122	6	208
Independents.....	55	954	100.0	—	—	51	135	18	122	6	208
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other	28	300	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	37	—	37	—	38
Independents.....	26	300	100.0	100.0	95.5	28	37	—	37	—	38
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.5	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

ALABAMA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	357	\$64,335	100.0	100.0	(2)	315	4,756	54	\$5,265	\$23	\$5,932
Independents.....	357	64,335	100.0	100.0		315	4,756	54	5,265	23	5,932
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	193	6,339	100.0	100.0	(2)	128	795	36	863	11	816
Independents.....	136	2,741	43.2	37.6		128	372	18	337	5	473
Chains.....	57	3,598	56.8	62.4		—	423	18	526	6	343
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	3,750	34,249	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,470	3,403	350	2,043	75	1,121
Independents.....	3,634	31,659	92.4	84.9	65.2	3,464	3,047	338	1,726	72	1,038
Chains.....	111	2,454	7.2	15.1	29.1	5	340	10	302	3	75
Other types.....	5	136	.4	(1)	5.7	1	16	2	15	(3)	8
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	184	8,820	100.0	100.0	(2)	175	1,338	188	1,054	84	1,414
Independents.....	184	8,820	100.0	90.5		175	1,338	188	1,054	84	1,414
Chains.....	—	—	—	9.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	34	1,178	100.0	100.0	(2)	27	131	9	169	4	275
Independents.....	26	568	48.2	49.6		27	75	5	88	2	119
Chains.....	8	610	51.8	50.4		—	56	4	81	2	158
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	297	8,431	100.0	100.0	100.0	315	686	59	599	16	2,642
Independents.....	298	—	—	90.6	87.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	8,431	100.0	9.4	4.6	315	686	59	599	16	2,642
Other types.....	1	—	—	8.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,145	15,279	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,058	5,112	420	2,191	77	208
Independents.....	2,104	13,948	91.3	88.6	94.2	2,054	4,652	338	1,902	56	201
Chains.....	22	1,143	7.5	10.8	4.8	2	439	79	258	20	7
Other types.....	19	188	1.2	.6	1.0	2	41	3	31	1	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	573	13,696	100.0	100.0	(2)	486	2,395	218	1,579	51	2,751
Independents.....	536	11,887	86.8	81.3		486	2,015	215	1,342	49	2,410
Chains.....	37	1,809	13.2	18.4		—	380	3	237	2	341
Other types.....	—	One store embd with "Independents."	.3			—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	260	2,421	100.0	100.0	(2)	247	355	55	217	16	569
Independents.....	257	2,384	98.5	99.7		246	351	55	213	16	565
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	3	37	1.5	.3		1	4	—	4	—	4
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	69	9,120	100.0	(2)	—	12	245	29	278	3	728
Independents.....	12	57	.6	—		12	6	2	3	1	—
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	57	9,063	99.4	—		—	239	27	275	2	728
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	619	4,135	100.0	100.0	100.0	555	1,287	169	760	41	223
Independents.....	815	3,899	94.3	90.7	96.1	555	1,200	168	707	41	202
Chains.....	2	—	—	8.3	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	2	236	5.7	1.0	.6	—	67	1	53	(3)	21
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	131	3,830	100.0	100.0	(2)	108	297	56	206	10	400
Independents.....	110	2,994	78.2	87.0		108	217	23	149	5	331
Chains.....	16	697	18.2	9.8		—	65	29	46	4	53
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	5	139	3.8	3.2		—	15	4	11	1	16
Other types.....	—	One store embd with "Independents."	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	209	5,979	100.0	100.0	(2)	155	583	64	311	22	478
Independents.....	177	4,015	67.2	84.3		153	243	39	196	18	388
Chains.....	8	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	28	1,964	32.8	13.2		2	140	25	115	4	90
Other types.....	—	—	—	2.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	144	3,412	100.0	100.0	100.0	133	374	19	491	9	1,179
Independents.....	138	—	—	97.3	94.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	8	3,412	100.0	2.7	5.3	133	374	19	491	9	1,179
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	54	729	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	96	9	58	4	25
Independents.....	50	—	—	29.1	49.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	4	729	100.0	70.9	50.5	40	96	9	58	4	25
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	118	833	100.0	100.0	(2)	118	180	31	115	5	52
Independents.....	115	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	833	100.0	—		118	180	31	115	5	52
Other types.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	34	361	100.0	100.0	(2)	27	88	4	33	1	11
Independents.....	32	—	—	88.8		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	2	361	100.0	11.2		27	68	4	33	1	11
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	4,759	77,773	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,563	8,848	1,554	6,302	351	15,482

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

ARIZONA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,242	\$162,005	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,726	16,577	3,026	\$17,119	\$1,138	\$19,561
Independents.....	5,762	121,637	75.2	75.1	75.3	5,693	12,260	1,618	12,645	704	14,699
Single-store.....	5,356	104,709	64.6	65.1	62.6	5,456	10,411	1,579	10,514	599	11,914
Multiunit.....	330	16,601	10.2	9.9	10.5	162	1,796	221	2,092	99	2,777
Market and roadside stands.....	42	66	.1	—	—	39	14	5	5	1	—
Leased departments—Independent.....	34	441	.3	.1	—	36	59	13	34	5	8
Chains.....	414	34,654	21.4	22.6	21.7	9	3,715	1,091	3,905	392	4,400
Local chains.....	79	6,320	3.9	2.0	7.6	7	647	105	757	43	635
Sectional or national chains.....	305	26,922	16.6	20.4	13.4	2	2,675	963	2,696	340	3,415
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	15	1,064	.7	.2	.4	—	137	9	206	2	125
Leased-department chains.....	15	328	.2	.2	.1	—	56	14	46	7	25
Other types.....	66	5,512	3.4	2.1	5.0	24	582	117	569	42	462
Utility-operated stores.....	15	215	.1	.2	.6	—	57	16	42	6	59
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	7	140	.1	.1	—	4	51	9	33	3	6
Commissaries or company stores.....	16	3,444	2.1	1.6	1.2	—	389	63	399	28	358
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	6	1,452	.9	—	—	—	60	5	77	2	7
Other types of operation.....	22	261	.2	.2	3.2	20	25	4	18	1	30
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	473	4,018	100.0	100.0	100.0	454	244	71	173	18	355
Independents.....	470	4,018	100.0	98.5	82.6	454	244	71	173	18	355
Chains.....	2	—	—	3.5	14.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	915	26,097	100.0	100.0	100.0	861	1,633	512	1,677	161	1,884
Independents.....	830	20,604	73.3	63.9	54.4	679	1,261	276	1,120	60	1,558
Chains.....	60	7,360	26.2	36.1	44.7	2	562	235	543	61	315
Other types.....	5	133	.5	—	.9	—	10	1	14	(1)	11
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	55	1,074	100.0	(2)	(2)	59	175	30	201	9	7
Independents.....	49	991	92.3	—	—	58	156	30	183	9	7
Chains.....	4	63	7.7	—	—	1	19	—	18	—	—
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	53	414	100.0	100.0	(2)	50	72	15	49	6	17
Independents.....	45	302	72.9	100.0	—	48	48	14	27	6	16
Chains.....	6	112	27.1	—	—	2	24	1	22	(1)	1
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	29	13,950	100.0	100.0	100.0	3	1,719	456	1,848	167	2,354
Independents.....	11	7,223	51.8	53.4	41.8	3	1,048	187	1,128	75	1,434
Chains.....	18	6,727	48.2	46.6	58.2	—	673	249	720	94	920
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	66	3,962	100.0	100.0	100.0	29	772	355	484	102	575
Independents.....	32	238	6.0	2.9	9.2	29	31	15	15	4	79
Chains.....	34	3,724	94.0	97.1	90.6	—	741	340	469	98	496
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	44	1,169	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	99	16	131	6	427
Independents.....	44	1,169	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	99	16	131	6	427
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	55	1,915	100.0	100.0	100.0	50	236	56	244	20	586
Independents.....	52	1,915	100.0	100.0	84.7	50	236	56	244	20	586
Chains.....	3	—	—	—	15.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	63	1,464	100.0	100.0	100.0	50	158	33	139	11	225
Independents.....	56	623	56.2	53.4	72.8	50	95	16	86	4	169
Chains.....	7	641	43.8	46.6	27.2	—	61	17	53	7	56
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	38	1,301	100.0	100.0	100.0	16	130	44	136	18	267
Independents.....	16	281	21.6	19.8	56.6	14	20	1	22	(1)	100
Chains.....	19	942	72.4	74.2	36.1	2	98	41	105	18	162
Leased departments.....	2	78	6.0	6.0	7.3	—	12	2	9	(1)	5
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	79	3,328	100.0	100.0	100.0	63	366	17	470	6	760
Independents.....	71	3,328	100.0	100.0	97.1	63	366	17	470	6	760
Chains.....	6	—	—	—	2.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	36	650	100.0	(2)	(2)	13	144	19	187	10	157
Independents.....	16	363	45.1	—	—	13	41	4	54	3	50
Chains.....	6	260	30.6	—	—	—	47	—	92	—	49
Utility-operated stores.....	14	207	24.3	—	—	—	56	15	41	7	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	21	697	100.0	(2)	(2)	18	67	16	126	11	126
Independents.....	21	697	100.0	—	—	18	67	16	126	11	126
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	12	196	100.0	100.0	100.0	12	16	2	18	1	38
Independents.....	12	196	100.0	100.0	99.0	12	16	2	18	1	36
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

ARIZONA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	126	\$20,815	100.0	100.0	(2)	100	1,482	20	\$2,187	\$9	\$2,290
Independents.....	122	20,405	98.0	100.0		97	1,448	20	2,151	9	2,233
Chains.....	4	410	2.0			3	34		36		57
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ³	61	2,392	100.0	100.0	(2)	50	232	19	323	7	254
Independents.....	49	1,235	51.6	41.4		50	123	7	181	4	126
Chains.....	12	1,157	48.4	58.6			109	12	142	3	128
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	1,196	15,484	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,120	1,191	194	1,245	96	489
Independents.....	1,120	13,544	87.5	85.2	97.6	1,119	996	185	955	85	442
Chains.....	76	1,940	12.5	14.8	2.4	1	195	9	290	11	47
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	101	7,053	100.0	100.0	(2)	40	633	134	888	63	1,526
Independents.....	70	4,419	62.7	63.0		40	380	66	540	32	856
Chains.....	31	2,634	37.3	37.0			253	68	348	31	670
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	16	328	100.0	100.0	(2)	12	35	3	42	2	83
Independents.....	13	229	69.8	76.5		12	23	2	29	2	63
Chains.....	3	99	30.2	23.5			12	1	13	(1)	20
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	48	3,123	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	220	18	309	6	559
Independents.....	45			95.6		36	220	18	309	6	559
Chains.....	2	3,123	100.0	100.0							
Other types.....	1			6.4							
Restaurants, other eating places.....	843	8,500	100.0	100.0	100.0	899	2,266	264	1,511	93	92
Independents.....	826	8,149	95.9	97.6	88.2	899	2,167	252	1,442	87	76
Chains.....	17	351	4.1	2.4	11.8		99	12	69	6	16
Other types.....											
Drug stores with fountain.....	161	6,342	100.0	100.0	(2)	127	750	94	819	47	1,140
Independents.....	145	4,862	76.7	100.0		127	553	83	580	39	848
Chains.....	16	1,480	23.3				197	11	239	8	292
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	33	1,082	100.0	100.0	(2)	24	92	5	126	2	224
Independents.....	29	913	84.4	92.8		23	78	3	104	1	184
Chains.....	4	169	15.6	7.2		1	14	2	22	1	40
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	42	784	100.0	100.0	---	43	39	6	39	3	56
Independents.....	42	784	100.0	100.0	---	43	39	6	38	3	56
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	94	1,176	100.0	100.0	100.0	82	141	21	140	8	74
Independents.....	92			100.0	98.2	82	141	21	140	8	74
Chains.....	1	1,176	100.0								
Other types.....	1			1.8							
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	43	1,599	100.0	100.0	(2)	31	112	20	121	7	198
Independents.....	38	1,364	85.3	98.4		30	95	16	101	5	169
Chains.....	2			3.0		1	17	4	20	2	29
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	3	235	14.7	.6							
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	10	386	100.0	100.0	(2)	5	17		31		56
Independents.....	9			100.0		5	17		31		56
Chains.....	1	386	100.0								
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	53	1,163	100.0	100.0	100.0	43	114	23	181	10	372
Independents.....	53	1,163	100.0	100.0	100.0	43	114	23	181	10	372
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	23	262	100.0	100.0	100.0	22	28	5	24	1	14
Independents.....	20			85.5	95.3	22	28	5	24	1	14
Chains.....	3	262	100.0	2.0	6.7						
Other type.....				12.5							
Florists.....	28	312	100.0	100.0	(2)	30	50	16	46	6	16
Independents.....	27			100.0		30	50	16	46	6	16
Chains.....	1	312	100.0								
Other type.....											
News dealers.....	22	192	100.0	100.0	(2)	21	26	10	14	2	14
Independents.....	20			74.0		21	26	10	14	2	14
Chains.....	2	192	100.0	26.0							
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	1,403	28,575	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,302	3,078	552	3,189	230	4,326

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

¹ Less than \$500.

² Comparable data not available.

³ Includes two motorcycle dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

ARKANSAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	20,328	\$298,301	100.0	100.0	100.0	19,071	32,581	6,101	\$23,775	\$1,357	\$45,826
Independents.....	19,246	249,644	83.6	85.8	87.5	18,909	25,761	3,819	18,634	874	39,430
Single-store.....	18,183	220,610	73.9	79.2	81.3	18,330	22,379	3,362	15,822	777	34,332
Multiunit.....	917	28,752	9.6	6.4	6.2	452	3,368	447	2,696	95	5,086
Market and roadside stands.....	131	166	.1	.2	(1)	114	18	3	7	1	3
Leased departments—-independent.....	15	116	(1)	(1)	(1)	13	16	7	9	1	9
Chains.....	749	42,621	14.4	12.5	11.6	30	5,960	2,127	4,355	440	5,429
Local chains.....	163	6,240	2.1	1.6	4.0	17	694	87	605	16	734
Sectional or national chains.....	497	33,359	11.2	10.6	7.1	13	4,812	1,992	3,236	410	4,357
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	47	2,349	.8	.1	.4	—	516	16	393	4	274
Leased-department chains.....	42	893	.3	.2	.1	—	138	32	121	10	64
Other types.....	333	5,836	2.0	1.7	.9	132	840	155	786	43	967
Utility-operated stores.....	114	829	.3	.3	.2	—	245	95	208	30	192
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	106	763	.3	.1	.1	80	172	15	153	3	69
Commissaries or company stores.....	59	3,399	1.1	1.1	.4	17	364	35	380	9	537
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	19	642	.2	.1	.1	—	47	7	35	1	145
Other types of operation.....	36	203	.1	.1	.1	35	12	3	12	(2)	24
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	4,363	19,690	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,159	974	313	458	46	2,296
Independents.....	4,277	18,188	92.4	90.9	89.8	4,119	637	253	378	38	2,209
Chains.....	34	1,089	5.5	7.9	10.2	—	112	52	66	7	64
Other types.....	52	413	2.1	1.2	—	40	25	8	14	1	23
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,154	40,366	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,039	3,403	768	2,251	148	3,168
Independents.....	1,967	28,364	70.3	73.5	78.0	2,028	2,403	405	1,434	72	2,674
Chains.....	179	11,950	29.5	26.4	22.0	6	993	361	814	76	483
Other types.....	8	72	.2	—	—	5	7	2	3	(2)	11
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	50	353	100.0	(3)	(3)	37	104	20	49	4	—
Independents.....	37	353	100.0	—	—	37	104	20	49	4	—
Chains.....	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	141	395	100.0	100.0	(3)	132	61	20	24	3	23
Independents.....	131	333	84.3	96.2	—	128	54	20	18	3	25
Chains.....	5	62	15.7	3.8	—	4	7	—	6	—	3
Other types.....	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	39	14,657	100.0	100.0	100.0	9	2,277	625	2,084	161	2,543
Independents.....	16	8,646	59.0	75.1	91.0	7	1,453	322	1,453	89	1,998
Chains.....	23	6,011	41.0	24.9	19.0	2	824	303	631	72	945
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	211	6,598	100.0	100.0	100.0	129	1,699	928	699	167	1,168
Independents.....	141	1,378	20.9	17.4	16.1	128	296	145	98	23	405
Chains.....	70	5,210	79.1	82.6	83.9	1	1,403	783	601	144	766
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	80	2,457	100.0	100.0	100.0	67	228	35	243	9	879
Independents.....	73	2,098	85.4	96.9	92.0	67	192	33	205	7	793
Chains.....	7	359	14.6	3.1	8.0	—	36	2	38	2	86
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	154	4,346	100.0	100.0	100.0	133	571	168	391	37	1,496
Independents.....	143	3,978	91.5	56.4	71.4	131	521	175	349	34	1,364
Chains.....	11	368	8.5	43.5	28.6	2	50	13	42	3	132
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	159	3,671	100.0	100.0	100.0	138	485	114	354	31	636
Independents.....	138	2,431	66.2	77.6	73.7	137	320	56	233	12	528
Chains.....	21	1,240	33.9	22.4	26.3	1	165	58	121	19	108
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	127	3,277	100.0	100.0	100.0	83	372	96	342	21	745
Independents.....	87	2,165	66.1	71.3	77.5	80	225	42	222	7	585
Chains.....	25	753	23.0	22.7	20.9	—	103	42	80	12	126
Leased departments.....	15	359	10.9	6.0	1.6	3	44	12	40	2	34
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	229	7,017	100.0	100.0	100.0	223	850	58	874	16	1,534
Independents.....	218	6,148	87.6	91.3	93.3	221	724	37	742	14	1,383
Chains.....	11	869	12.4	8.7	6.7	2	126	21	132	4	151
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	152	1,692	100.0	(3)	(3)	27	385	100	387	31	359
Independents.....	29	493	29.1	—	—	26	54	8	54	2	70
Chains.....	10	380	22.5	—	—	—	90	—	128	—	97
Utility-operated stores.....	112	819	48.4	—	—	1	241	92	205	29	192
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	38	904	100.0	(3)	(3)	34	112	5	120	2	140
Independents.....	35	893	98.8	—	—	30	111	5	118	2	137
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	3	11	1.2	—	—	4	1	—	2	—	3
Radio stores—other.....	26	300	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	45	9	40	4	68
Independents.....	25	300	100.0	100.0	78.6	28	45	9	40	4	68
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	21.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

ARKANSAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	335	\$47,324	100.0	100.0	(s)	301	3,501	102	\$3,839	\$52	\$4,332
Independents	333										
Chains	2	47,324	100.0			301	3,501	102	3,839	52	4,332
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ⁴	184	4,198	100.0	100.0	(s)	161	466	33	441	9	769
Independents	156	2,477	59.0	42.9		161	267	29	202	7	534
Chains	28	1,721	41.0	57.1			199	4	239	2	235
Other types											
Filling stations	3,037	26,061	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,952	2,422	229	1,618	60	987
Independents	2,978	24,806	95.2	85.0	64.5	2,949	2,269	229	1,427	60	918
Chains	54	1,085	4.2	14.9	35.5	3	140		178		55
Other types	5	170	.6	.1			13		13		14
Lumber, building-materials dealers	286	11,219	100.0	100.0	(s)	163	1,359	257	1,207	101	2,405
Independents	218	7,378	65.8	66.8		160	958	211	846	80	1,579
Chains	65	3,502	31.2	33.2		3	383	45	343	20	779
Other types	3	339	3.0				18	1	18	1	47
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	29	660	100.0	100.0	(s)	23	73	4	77	1	158
Independents	26	383	58.0	77.2		23	48	4	39	1	118
Chains	3	277	42.0	22.8			25		38		40
Other types											
Hardware stores	236	6,436	100.0	100.0	100.0	227	545	32	479	9	2,334
Independents	228										
Chains	8	6,436	100.0	100.0	100.0	227	545	32	479	9	2,334
Other types											
Restaurants, other eating places	1,920	9,997	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,901	3,276	275	1,300	44	109
Independents	1,916	9,710	97.1	98.5	97.9	1,901	3,178	275	1,228	44	106
Chains	4	287	2.9	1.5	2.1		98		72		3
Other types											
Drug stores with fountain	414	10,020	100.0	100.0	(s)	388	1,472	207	1,079	54	2,266
Independents	410			96.3							
Chains	3	10,020	100.0	3.7		388	1,472	207	1,079	54	2,266
Other types	1										
Drug stores, other	290	2,716	100.0	100.0	(s)	289	261	44	159	11	810
Independents	289			100.0							
Chains	1	2,716	100.0			289	261	44	159	11	810
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	483	6,344	100.0	100.0		400	338	36	241	10	663
Independents	465	6,027	95.0	97.4		398	313	35	216	10	631
Chains	18	317	5.0	2.6		2	25	1	25	(*)	32
State liquor stores											
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	254	950	100.0	100.0	(s)	240	209	49	123	15	36
Independents	251	933	98.2	97.9		240	204	45	122	14	37
Chains											
Other types	3	17	1.8	2.2			5	4	1	1	1
Hay, grain and feed stores	165	3,990	100.0	100.0	(s)	169	203	30	153	7	377
Independents	164			100.0							
Chains	1	3,990	100.0			169	203	30	153	7	377
Farmers' cooperative stores											
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	38	539	100.0	100.0	(s)	38	24	6	21	2	26
Independents	35			80.6							
Chains	1	539	100.0	19.4		38	24	6	21	2	26
Farmers' cooperative stores											
Other types											
Jewelry stores	93	1,493	100.0	100.0	100.0	92	166	19	200	5	686
Independents	89	1,383	92.6	93.3		92	158	19	185	5	669
Chains	4	110	7.4	6.7	100.0		8		15		17
Other types											
Cigar stores, cigar stands	28	363	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	30	5	20	1	31
Independents	27			100.0	100.0						
Chains		363	100.0			27	30	5	20	1	31
Other types	1										
Florists	82	643	100.0	100.0	(s)	82	99	16	75	4	49
Independents	82	643	100.0	100.0		82	99	16	75	4	49
Chains											
Other types											
News dealers	43	335	100.0	100.0	(s)	36	68	34	23	3	21
Independents	38			71.5							
Chains	5	335	100.0	28.5		36	68	34	23	3	21
Other types											
All other kinds of business	4,490	59,300	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,344	6,503	1,444	4,404	287	14,705

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Includes 2 motorcycle dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

CALIFORNIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	112,428	\$3,187,809	100.0	100.0	100.0	107,895	327,627	62,327	\$383,155	\$29,099	\$385,765
Independents.....	102,388	2,556,034	73.9	71.8	74.9	107,137	236,950	42,456	272,431	19,982	291,643
Single-store.....	92,328	1,898,629	59.5	60.1	61.4	100,253	182,669	33,545	205,771	16,369	231,804
Multiunit.....	6,666	401,568	12.6	10.7	13.4	3,559	49,131	7,698	61,345	3,079	57,312
Market and roadside stands.....	1,132	14,881	.5	.5	(1)	1,082	1,610	416	1,532	152	470
Leased departments—-independent.....	2,262	40,956	1.3	.5	.1	2,243	3,540	797	3,783	382	2,057
Chains.....	9,085	788,164	24.7	27.1	23.5	351	85,187	18,393	104,143	8,735	88,179
Local chains.....	2,487	199,783	6.3	5.3	11.2	267	21,152	2,796	27,283	1,176	21,004
Sectional or national chains ^a	5,420	534,465	16.7	21.1	11.3	50	57,112	14,477	68,039	7,128	60,477
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	722	37,657	1.2	.4	.6	5	4,789	770	6,447	293	5,187
Leased-department chains.....	456	16,259	.5	.3	.4	29	2,154	350	2,374	138	1,511
Other types.....	955	43,611	1.4	1.1	1.6	407	5,490	1,478	6,581	382	3,943
Utility-operated stores.....	252	7,807	.3	.3	.2	8	881	249	1,437	95	990
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	274	10,844	.3	.3	.2	165	3,008	972	3,225	180	630
Commissaries or company stores.....	56	4,543	.1	.1	.2	6	452	77	549	30	555
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	108	12,727	.4	.3	.1	---	594	105	655	32	1,246
Other types of operation.....	265	7,890	.3	.1	.9	228	555	75	715	45	522
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	8,996	198,078	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,967	8,564	1,717	9,584	722	18,454
Independents.....	8,413	156,492	79.0	73.0	70.3	8,922	6,137	1,257	6,514	516	15,050
Chains.....	545	40,688	20.5	26.8	29.2	27	2,265	410	2,884	177	3,543
Other types.....	38	898	.5	.2	1.5	18	162	50	186	29	61
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	8,144	379,408	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,388	21,089	3,871	26,341	1,669	24,451
Independents.....	6,578	190,456	50.2	46.0	50.5	7,348	10,010	1,811	11,054	700	14,517
Chains.....	1,549	188,390	49.7	53.8	48.4	37	11,035	2,055	15,235	968	9,855
Other types.....	17	562	.1	.2	1.1	3	44	5	52	1	59
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	728	43,799	100.0	(3)	(3)	607	5,927	518	9,552	238	514
Independents.....	611	17,620	40.2			601	2,468	305	3,308	138	287
Chains.....	113	26,156	59.7			4	3,457	213	6,242	100	227
Other types.....	4	23	.1			2	2	---	2	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,639	12,363	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,387	2,118	784	1,563	308	410
Independents.....	1,386	8,392	67.9	70.1		1,370	1,246	446	914	178	346
Chains.....	247	3,950	32.0	28.9		13	869	338	647	130	63
Other types.....	6	21	.1	1.0		4	3	---	2	---	1
Department stores.....	286	301,010	100.0	100.0	100.0	24	41,907	11,155	49,562	5,771	47,595
Independents.....	73	172,505	57.3	55.7	61.8	24	27,309	6,144	35,319	2,952	25,882
Chains and mail-order.....	213	128,505	42.7	44.3	18.2	---	14,598	5,011	16,244	2,819	21,505
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Variety stores.....	1,306	62,010	100.0	100.0	100.0	835	10,511	4,137	8,039	1,558	10,870
Independents.....	873	10,069	16.2	9.4	7.8	827	1,257	385	953	154	2,934
Chains.....	433	51,941	83.8	90.6	91.9	8	9,254	3,752	7,106	1,424	7,736
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	1,379	51,713	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,279	4,517	828	6,625	441	16,507
Independents.....	1,267	39,157	75.7	82.2	76.3	1,277	3,299	581	4,844	291	13,625
Chains.....	112	12,556	24.3	17.7	23.7	2	1,218	287	1,781	150	2,882
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Family clothing stores.....	433	25,378	100.0	100.0	100.0	393	3,227	778	4,078	270	6,094
Independents.....	407	14,370	56.6	56.6	49.7	392	1,614	282	2,008	115	3,815
Chains.....	26	11,008	43.4	43.4	50.3	1	1,613	496	2,070	155	2,289
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	2,369	76,115	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,057	10,058	1,834	11,150	752	10,587
Independents.....	2,070	49,559	65.1	71.4	76.2	2,041	6,786	1,253	7,303	490	8,140
Chains.....	294	26,512	34.8	28.6	21.1	14	3,261	580	3,854	261	2,446
Other types.....	5	44	.1	---	2.7	2	11	1	13	1	1
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	1,248	45,042	100.0	100.0	100.0	686	4,698	1,471	6,002	655	11,871
Independents.....	722	18,091	40.2	42.5	49.3	652	1,784	452	2,381	206	6,665
Chains.....	455	24,398	54.2	53.4	44.0	10	2,639	964	3,282	428	4,669
Leased departments.....	91	2,553	5.6	4.1	6.7	24	265	55	339	21	537
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	1,413	81,120	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,462	7,946	728	12,371	567	18,494
Independents.....	1,375	70,919	87.4	82.8	70.7	1,459	6,702	545	10,371	309	16,201
Chains.....	38	10,201	12.6	17.2	29.1	3	1,244	183	2,000	258	2,293
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Household appliance dealers.....	879	23,256	100.0	(3)	(3)	572	2,870	410	4,150	193	3,499
Independents.....	545	11,202	48.2			563	1,177	157	1,440	97	1,741
Chains.....	63	4,199	18.0			5	798	7	1,254	2	790
Utility-operated stores.....	242	7,577	32.6			---	853	245	1,407	94	953
Other types.....	9	278	1.2			4	42	1	49	(4)	15
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	568	15,804	100.0	(3)	(3)	593	1,426	169	1,750	97	2,605
Independents.....	558	15,299	96.8			590	1,359	163	1,648	95	2,468
Chains.....	8	505	3.2			3	67	5	102	2	137
Other types.....	2	---	---			---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	447	7,131	100.0	100.0	100.0	422	739	61	1,087	27	1,373
Independents.....	428	5,400	75.7	96.5	75.9	420	552	56	737	24	920
Chains.....	19	1,731	24.3	3.5	23.1	2	187	5	350	3	453
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

CALIFORNIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	1,766	\$365,997	100.0	100.0	(5)	1,632	22,730	574	\$35,526	\$376	\$36,899
Independents	1,714	347,668	95.0	92.4		1,628	21,487	554	33,238	365	35,190
Chains	52	18,309	5.0	7.6		4	1,243	20	2,290	11	1,709
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	1,550	48,502	100.0	100.0	(5)	1,381	5,058	466	8,932	213	8,359
Independents	1,270	28,262	58.3	48.0		1,376	2,983	234	4,156	111	3,808
Chains	280	20,240	41.7	52.0		5	2,073	232	2,778	102	2,551
Other types											
Filling stations	15,218	242,183	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,327	18,041	3,545	20,070	1,637	6,630
Independents	15,649	197,197	81.4	74.8	80.1	14,314	13,017	3,199	12,872	1,388	5,849
Chains	1,557	44,536	18.4	25.1	19.5	13	4,983	336	7,340	246	1,088
Other types	12	450	.2	.1	.4		41	10	58	5	13
Lumber, building-materials dealers	1,673	139,516	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,130	11,693	1,221	18,221	825	25,801
Independents	1,315	102,203	73.3	65.1		1,126	8,100	969	12,770	849	16,153
Chains	352	37,116	26.6	34.7		3	3,590	252	5,433	176	9,599
Other types	8	197	.1	.2		1	13		18		49
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	733	14,382	100.0	100.0	(3)	590	1,130	111	1,580	68	2,591
Independents	610	9,256	64.4	83.8		583	732	104	944	63	1,788
Chains	123	5,126	35.6	36.2		7	398	7	636	5	803
Other types											
Hardware stores	1,282	38,436	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,269	3,417	347	4,781	165	12,958
Independents	1,230	34,852	90.7	92.0	94.1	1,266	3,019	304	4,171	148	11,784
Chains	29	3,496	9.1	8.0		1	387	40	599	17	1,137
Other types	3	88	.2		5.9	2	11	3	11	(4)	37
Restaurants, other eating places	15,108	208,800	100.0	100.0	100.0	16,382	55,238	10,239	46,349	4,493	2,936
Independents	14,647	181,843	87.9	88.4	82.5	16,325	48,255	9,215	40,180	4,072	2,582
Chains	435	24,238	11.7	13.1	17.2	46	6,771	1,001	8,288	410	324
Other types	26	719	.4	.5	.3	11	212	23	201	11	30
Drug stores with fountain	1,884	71,476	100.0	100.0	(5)	1,693	8,365	1,978	8,595	1,000	12,212
Independents	1,714	48,497	67.9	67.0		1,688	5,356	1,517	5,113	756	9,718
Chains	170	22,979	32.1	33.0		5	3,009	461	3,482	244	2,494
Other types											
Drug stores, other	1,399	42,530	100.0	100.0	(5)	1,217	3,482	778	4,424	379	9,556
Independents	1,257	31,947	75.1	79.0		1,206	2,665	898	3,228	338	8,088
Chains	142	10,583	24.9	20.8		11	819	82	1,196	41	1,468
Other types				.2							
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	2,775	38,017	100.0	100.0	---	2,548	1,729	346	1,806	159	5,255
Independents	2,614	33,219	87.4	87.4	---	2,539	1,393	331	1,352	155	4,666
Chains	161	4,798	12.6	12.8	---	9	336	15	454	4	589
State liquor stores					---						
Other types					---						
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	1,272	12,066	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,207	1,528	280	2,091	153	780
Independents	1,219	9,622	81.4	80.5	85.8	1,198	1,211	245	1,586	147	681
Chains	45	2,199	18.2	12.4	16.2	2	310	12	499	5	99
Other types	8	45	.4	7.1		7	7	3	6	1	
Hay, grain and feed stores	959	51,432	100.0	100.0	(3)	836	2,404	321	2,967	183	4,786
Independents	848	36,603	71.2	75.5		835	1,611	274	2,100	160	3,195
Chains	55	5,819	7.0	8.6		1	451	28	418	16	540
Farmers' cooperative stores	56	11,210	21.8	15.9			342	19	449	7	1,051
Other types					---						
Farm and garden supply stores	500	11,154	100.0	100.0	(3)	469	1,258	209	1,466	116	1,758
Independents	483	10,642	95.4	67.1		462	1,158	197	1,359	108	1,587
Chains	4	171	1.5	13.7			87	7	78	7	108
Farmers' cooperative stores	6	308	2.8	19.2			22	1	26	(4)	55
Other types	7	33	.3	(1)		7	11	4	5	1	8
Jewelry stores	1,189	30,125	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,167	2,514	255	4,198	135	12,871
Independents	1,153	28,470	94.5	92.0	89.5	1,186	2,369	229	3,945	119	12,343
Chains	36	1,855	5.5	8.0	9.7	1	145	26	251	18	528
Other types					.8						
Cigar stores, cigar stands	1,399	14,255	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,249	1,206	221	1,351	95	1,243
Independents	1,237	9,587	67.1	62.8	80.8	1,240	726	187	722	81	752
Chains	162	4,688	32.9	31.3	18.1	9	480	34	629	14	491
Other types					1.1						
Florists	1,468	11,130	100.0	100.0	(5)	1,563	1,381	331	1,458	133	619
Independents	1,450	10,575	95.0	93.8		1,558	1,306	320	1,355	126	588
Chains	13	555	5.0	8.2		5	75	11	101	7	53
Other types	5										
News dealers	270	2,509	100.0	100.0	(5)	258	394	200	248	44	206
Independents	255	2,219	88.4	58.9		257	316	197	181	43	173
Chains	15	290	11.6	40.4		1	78	3	85	1	33
Other types					.7						
All other kinds of business	32,168	525,072	100.0	100.0	100.0	32,305	60,474	12,485	68,944	5,657	67,421

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Two mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

LOS ANGELES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	24,535	\$782,842	100.0	100.0	100.0	22,218	92,882	15,599	\$108,781	\$7,738	\$88,544
Independents.....	22,053	562,973	71.9	68.8	67.0	21,990	85,528	9,877	76,245	4,736	64,658
Single-store.....	19,391	415,427	53.1	51.7	49.8	20,207	45,688	7,077	51,408	5,793	45,340
Multiunit.....	1,554	128,447	18.4	15.5	17.3	753	18,010	2,512	22,685	610	18,477
Market and roadside stands.....	240	5,532	.7	.8	---	215	599	100	638	43	264
Leased departments—Independent.....	648	15,567	1.7	.6	.1	815	1,229	188	1,338	90	575
Chains.....	2,330	208,574	26.8	32.1	32.0	122	25,714	5,544	30,589	2,893	22,990
Local chains.....	794	72,343	9.2	11.5	18.9	92	8,318	1,000	10,555	431	6,931
Sectional or national chains.....	1,196	121,294	15.5	19.5	13.5	8	15,415	4,142	17,823	2,509	14,778
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	192	9,644	1.2	.7	.9	---	1,287	300	1,645	112	904
Leased-department chains.....	148	5,293	.7	.4	.7	22	696	102	766	41	379
Other types.....	172	11,295	1.5	1.3	1.0	104	1,642	378	1,947	107	898
Utility-operated stores.....	27	1,829	.2	.3	(#)	---	64	19	119	5	165
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	50	4,711	.6	.5	.3	23	1,321	514	1,477	68	487
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	6	344	.1	.3	---	---	26	5	23	3	21
Other types of operation.....	87	4,411	.6	.2	.7	81	251	40	528	31	225
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,422	37,222	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,370	1,795	228	2,069	98	3,564
Independents.....	1,320	28,717	71.8	72.2	64.4	1,349	1,083	138	1,235	58	2,594
Chains.....	89	10,009	26.9	27.8	35.6	11	805	57	709	18	935
Other types.....	13	496	1.3	(#)	(#)	10	107	35	125	22	35
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,765	78,731	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,475	4,829	735	6,027	349	5,421
Independents.....	1,407	33,898	42.8	36.9	45.1	1,458	1,848	221	2,139	86	2,538
Chains.....	356	45,033	57.2	62.8	54.9	17	2,981	514	3,888	283	2,883
Other types.....	---	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	110	9,503	100.0	(#)	(#)	85	1,514	105	2,598	53	96
Independents.....	81	1,648	17.3	---	---	85	222	10	306	5	68
Chains.....	29	7,855	82.7	---	---	---	1,292	95	2,292	48	30
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	434	2,804	100.0	100.0	(#)	344	490	183	548	66	87
Independents.....	343	1,645	58.7	50.2	---	341	202	56	158	23	53
Chains.....	91	1,159	41.3	48.7	---	3	288	127	190	43	14
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	38	112,856	100.0	100.0	100.0	3	16,138	3,453	20,409	2,430	17,556
Independents.....	15	79,333	70.4	55.9	87.4	3	11,977	1,877	15,571	1,173	11,475
Chains and mail-order.....	23	33,323	29.6	44.1	---	---	4,159	1,576	4,838	1,257	8,081
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	12.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	337	15,406	100.0	100.0	100.0	224	2,774	1,040	2,062	371	2,564
Independents.....	241	2,321	15.1	7.7	3.2	219	316	82	232	24	650
Chains.....	96	13,085	84.9	92.3	96.8	5	2,458	958	1,830	547	1,914
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	318	14,201	100.0	100.0	100.0	257	1,418	219	2,144	126	3,600
Independents.....	276	6,659	81.0	65.6	55.0	256	847	85	1,325	49	2,368
Chains.....	40	5,542	39.0	34.4	45.0	1	571	134	819	77	1,214
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	91	8,113	100.0	100.0	100.0	83	1,140	266	1,608	72	1,589
Independents.....	84	7	8.1	48.2	47.6	83	1,140	266	1,608	72	1,589
Chains.....	7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	628	23,647	100.0	100.0	100.0	503	3,607	586	3,956	229	2,979
Independents.....	533	14,339	60.6	68.0	69.8	497	2,374	402	2,506	147	2,098
Chains.....	92	9,275	39.2	32.0	28.0	4	1,226	183	1,441	81	882
Other types.....	3	33	.2	---	2.2	2	7	1	9	1	1
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	335	13,350	100.0	100.0	100.0	157	1,519	474	1,973	205	3,270
Independents.....	171	4,546	34.1	28.7	31.0	145	538	157	722	59	1,464
Chains.....	137	8,038	80.2	68.7	57.1	4	895	299	1,142	139	1,647
Leased departments.....	27	788	5.7	2.6	---	8	86	18	109	7	159
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	11.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	354	25,717	100.0	100.0	100.0	347	2,598	156	3,955	83	4,974
Independents.....	333	24,777	96.3	80.9	49.0	344	2,528	153	3,839	82	4,839
Chains.....	21	940	3.7	19.1	51.0	3	70	3	118	1	135
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	168	6,037	100.0	(#)	(#)	127	609	81	821	30	764
Independents.....	122	3,267	54.1	---	---	123	363	39	443	24	444
Chains.....	15	845	14.0	---	---	2	165	3	240	1	149
Utility-operated stores.....	27	1,829	30.3	---	---	---	64	19	119	5	165
Other types.....	4	98	1.6	---	---	2	17	---	19	---	7
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	108	4,139	100.0	(#)	(#)	115	323	25	393	15	535
Independents.....	108	4,139	100.0	---	---	115	323	25	393	15	535
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	115	1,930	100.0	100.0	100.0	101	200	14	285	6	264
Independents.....	110	1,930	100.0	100.0	63.6	101	200	14	285	6	264
Chains.....	5	---	---	---	38.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

LOS ANGELES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	201	\$75,567	100.0	100.0	(3)	153	4,649	30	\$7,596	\$13	\$6,842
Independents.....	198	72,057	95.4	64.5		153	4,449	30	7,211	13	6,652
Chains.....	5	3,510	4.6	15.5		---	200	---	387	---	190
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	203	9,022	100.0	100.0	(3)	130	1,023	79	1,371	33	1,076
Independents.....	144	4,754	52.7	39.0		129	562	14	784	7	554
Chains.....	59	4,268	47.3	61.0		1	461	65	587	26	522
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations	3,010	57,484	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,749	4,688	657	5,355	310	1,304
Independents.....	2,611	45,639	79.7	76.9	71.6	2,740	3,355	590	3,414	280	1,044
Chains.....	399	11,645	20.3	23.1	28.2	9	1,333	67	1,941	50	260
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers	200	22,587	100.0	100.0	(3)	150	1,943	73	3,231	42	3,121
Independents.....	185	14,254	63.1	47.1		150	1,022	67	1,648	38	1,212
Chains.....	35	6,333	36.9	52.9		---	921	6	1,583	4	1,909
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	228	4,115	100.0	100.0	(3)	179	337	24	469	12	637
Independents.....	192	2,650	69.3	55.7		174	234	20	309	11	478
Chains.....	36	1,265	30.7	44.3		5	103	4	160	1	159
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores	238	8,527	100.0	100.0	100.0	242	554	34	790	20	1,927
Independents.....	236	---	96.8	63.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	6,527	100.0	3.2	16.6	242	554	34	790	20	1,927
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places	3,942	60,227	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,900	18,151	3,448	14,815	1,450	696
Independents.....	3,766	49,941	82.9	60.5	77.5	3,679	14,972	2,670	12,176	1,241	538
Chains.....	176	10,286	17.1	19.5	22.5	21	3,179	576	2,639	209	158
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	(2)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain	548	21,589	100.0	100.0	(3)	473	2,936	552	2,906	246	3,263
Independents.....	481	12,699	58.8	64.7		472	1,679	399	1,508	182	2,263
Chains.....	67	6,690	41.2	35.3		1	1,257	153	1,398	64	1,020
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other	243	7,472	100.0	100.0	(3)	182	665	110	834	56	1,415
Independents.....	205	4,928	65.9	67.9		182	465	105	540	53	1,049
Chains.....	36	2,544	34.1	31.4		---	200	5	294	3	366
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	968	11,595	100.0	100.0	---	900	459	61	465	38	1,471
Independents.....	936	10,523	90.6	87.0	---	900	365	79	354	37	1,348
Chains.....	32	1,062	9.2	13.0	---	---	74	2	111	1	123
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	166	759	100.0	100.0	100.0	155	70	21	79	10	33
Independents.....	159	711	93.7	100.0	---	152	62	16	71	9	30
Chains.....	5	48	8.3	---	---	3	8	3	6	1	3
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores	107	3,367	100.0	100.0	(3)	96	139	14	202	9	246
Independents.....	103	---	92.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	3,367	100.0	7.9	---	96	139	14	202	9	246
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores	95	1,593	100.0	100.0	(3)	99	249	28	249	12	295
Independents.....	95	1,593	100.0	---	---	99	249	28	249	12	295
Chains.....	---	---	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores	274	6,563	100.0	100.0	100.0	250	789	50	1,461	28	3,268
Independents.....	268	6,356	97.8	90.4	92.5	250	787	44	1,424	25	3,187
Chains.....	6	207	2.4	9.6	7.5	---	22	6	37	3	61
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands	318	2,613	100.0	100.0	100.0	277	201	33	195	13	330
Independents.....	282	1,830	57.9	48.3	65.0	277	65	22	79	9	176
Chains.....	36	1,183	42.1	43.3	35.0	---	116	11	116	4	154
Other types.....	---	---	8.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists	372	2,944	100.0	100.0	(3)	381	366	71	405	26	105
Independents.....	365	---	94.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	6	2,944	100.0	5.7	---	381	366	71	405	26	105
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers	75	680	100.0	100.0	(3)	74	76	12	76	4	34
Independents.....	73	---	69.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	680	100.0	30.4	---	74	76	12	76	4	34
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business	7,128	132,492	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,653	16,655	2,737	19,630	1,279	15,216

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

SAN FRANCISCO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types ¹	11,539	\$385,554	100.0	100.0	100.0	12,007	44,829	8,851	\$58,135	\$4,827	\$46,273
Independents	10,237	288,582	75.2	72.5	74.2	11,921	33,899	8,780	42,608	3,458	36,045
Single-store	9,363	225,090	58.7	59.5	58.6	11,265	24,812	4,414	31,395	2,397	27,459
Multiunit	600	56,114	14.6	12.2	15.5	371	8,273	2,074	10,540	912	8,125
Market and roadside stands	92	2,366	.6	.4	---	89	290	102	279	30	59
Leased departments—Independent	182	4,992	1.3	.4	.1	198	524	190	594	119	402
Chains	1,056	92,353	24.1	28.7	25.4	62	10,680	1,846	14,820	1,151	10,029
Local chains	327	18,358	4.5	5.3	12.0	48	2,051	160	2,770	78	1,390
Sectional or national chains	589	67,459	17.6	20.1	11.9	8	7,543	1,573	10,425	1,018	7,687
Manufacturer-controlled chains	92	5,459	1.4	.8	1.1	5	700	64	1,119	30	641
Leased-department chains	48	3,079	.8	.7	.4	1	388	49	506	27	351
Other types	48	2,639	.7	.8	.4	24	450	25	707	18	199
Utility-operated stores	One store cmbd with "Other types."			.1	.1						
Direct selling (house-to-house)	19	1,463	.4	.3	.2	8	310	13	488	14	72
Commissaries or company stores	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores	4	48	(*)	---	---	---	8	8	5	2	8
Other types of operation	25	1,128	.3	.4	.1	16	132	6	234	2	119
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	1,584	35,296	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,700	1,278	263	1,592	121	3,383
Independents	1,499	30,213	85.8	79.8	72.3	1,698	1,076	249	1,248	112	2,941
Chains	85	5,083	14.4	20.1	27.7	2	202	14	344	9	442
Other types	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	306	17,600	100.0	100.0	100.0	274	907	53	1,407	30	1,134
Independents	173	8,639	37.7	38.8	83.1	274	427	53	531	30	633
Chains	133	10,961	62.3	61.1	36.9	---	480	---	876	---	501
Other types	One store cmbd with "Independents."		.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers	34	4,684	100.0	(5)	(5)	29	600	17	1,181	6	110
Independents	33					29	600	17	1,181	8	110
Chains	1	4,684	100.0			---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	234	1,973	100.0	100.0	(5)	198	308	106	237	48	87
Independents	198	1,348	68.2	63.5	---	194	190	57	145	27	65
Chains	38	627	31.8	36.5	---	2	118	49	92	21	24
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores	11	47,579	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	7,206	2,319	8,883	1,070	6,849
Independents	7	40,302	84.7	78.4	100.0	---	8,349	1,933	7,895	841	5,902
Chains	4	7,277	15.3	23.8	---	---	857	386	968	229	947
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores	78	8,830	100.0	100.0	100.0	51	1,059	398	1,018	219	1,041
Independents	57	886	12.7	9.2	8.3	51	158	42	158	20	249
Chains	21	5,964	87.3	90.8	91.7	---	925	354	862	199	792
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	188	9,093	100.0	100.0	100.0	177	855	142	1,403	87	2,657
Independents	163	5,933	65.2	87.3	78.0	177	553	77	928	40	1,918
Chains	25	3,180	34.8	12.7	22.0	---	302	85	475	47	719
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores	38	4,432	100.0	100.0	100.0	34	817	113	703	41	906
Independents	36					34	817	113	703	41	906
Chains	2	4,432	100.0	45.9	57.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	54.1	82.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores	207	15,298	100.0	100.0	100.0	185	2,081	331	2,785	150	1,650
Independents	189	8,421	55.0	68.5	78.9	184	1,243	223	1,588	91	1,087
Chains	18	8,877	45.0	33.5	22.1	1	818	108	1,177	59	563
Other types	---	---	---	---	1.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds)	135	7,663	100.0	100.0	100.0	68	792	250	1,151	134	1,695
Independents	87	2,499	32.8	36.1	39.8	64	292	88	415	65	763
Chains	60	4,812	62.8	57.8	59.7	2	470	154	688	64	823
Leased departments	8	352	4.8	6.3	---	2	30	8	48	5	89
Other types	---	---	---	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores	110	12,330	100.0	100.0	100.0	111	1,298	195	2,633	247	3,090
Independents	105	9,270	75.2	100.0	89.9	110	921	76	1,654	56	2,038
Chains	4	3,060	24.8	---	10.1	1	375	117	779	191	1,052
Other types	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers	55	1,642	100.0	(5)	(5)	45	229	4	397	2	258
Independents	42	1,112	67.7	---	---	44	137	4	245	2	158
Chains	13	530	32.3	---	---	1	92	---	152	---	80
Utility-operated stores	One store cmbd with "Independents."			---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	One store cmbd with "Independents."			---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers	25	778	100.0	(5)	(5)	27	74	8	103	2	158
Independents	22					27	74	8	103	2	158
Chains	3	778	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other	54	1,689	100.0	100.0	100.0	48	186	5	340	3	403
Independents	46	673	39.8	100.0	82.5	45	57	4	93	2	103
Chains	8	1,018	60.2	---	37.5	1	129	1	247	1	300
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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RETAIL TRADE: 1939

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

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TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	56	\$24,359	100.0	100.0	(3)	45	1,273	60	\$2,374	\$33	\$2,423
Independents.....	55			89.1							
Chains.....	1	24,359	100.0	10.9		45	1,273	60	2,374	33	2,423
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	66	4,710	100.0	100.0	(3)	88	427	18	761	10	464
Independents.....	52	2,543	54.0	57.4		66	230	10	433	6	229
Chains.....	14	2,187	46.0	42.6		2	197	8	328	4	235
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	559	15,188	100.0	100.0	100.0	463	1,452	230	1,889	135	378
Independents.....	403	9,591	83.1	48.4	62.4	462	755	162	892	95	232
Chains.....	158	5,597	36.9	51.8	37.8	1	697	88	997	40	148
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	54	6,071	100.0	100.0	(3)	55	478	49	864	89	994
Independents.....	53										
Chains.....	1	8,071	100.0	100.0		55	478	49	884	89	994
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	60	1,478	100.0	100.0	(3)	48	109	15	169	17	320
Independents.....	49	828	56.0	62.2		47	64	15	94	17	201
Chains.....	11	850	44.0	37.8		1	45	---	75	---	119
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	136	2,722	100.0	100.0	100.0	154	203	21	284	12	1,005
Independents.....	156	2,722	100.0	100.0	100.0	154	203	21	284	12	1,005
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,656	42,268	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,057	10,528	1,708	10,704	909	855
Independents.....	1,545	34,712	82.1	60.8	73.8	2,045	8,813	1,542	8,757	814	614
Chains.....	105	7,435	17.6	18.8	26.0	8	1,685	158	1,921	92	41
Other types.....	6	121	.3	.8	.2	4	30	6	26	3	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	129	6,958	100.0	100.0	(3)	117	882	204	1,022	142	972
Independents.....	114	3,882	55.8	54.6		117	439	113	461	89	690
Chains.....	15	3,078	44.2	45.4		---	423	91	581	73	282
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	242	7,706	100.0	100.0	(3)	188	702	162	970	91	1,415
Independents.....	199	4,877	60.7	88.0		188	463	128	602	69	1,018
Chains.....	43	3,029	39.3	34.0		---	239	34	368	22	399
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	222	4,603	100.0	100.0	---	222	256	51	275	25	681
Independents.....	214	4,154	90.2	87.8	---	220	210	51	241	25	618
Chains.....	8	449	9.8	12.2	---	2	26	---	34	---	65
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	79	1,851	100.0	100.0	100.0	78	253	40	440	31	111
Independents.....	77										
Chains.....	2	1,851	100.0	100.0	100.0	78	253	40	440	31	111
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	One store combined with "Farm and garden supply stores."										
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	14	1,260	100.0	100.0	(3)	9	81	---	128	---	149
Independents.....	12			100.0							
Chains.....	1	1,260	100.0	---		9	61	---	128	---	149
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	163	5,407	100.0	100.0	100.0	174	502	46	883	32	2,282
Independents.....	159	5,210	96.4	98.0	82.9	174	484	40	858	27	2,258
Chains.....	4	197	3.6	4.0	17.1	---	18	8	25	5	24
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	488	5,387	100.0	100.0	100.0	394	511	59	684	28	448
Independents.....	382	2,873	53.3	43.8	68.5	386	254	45	293	23	193
Chains.....	88	2,514	46.7	56.4	33.5	8	257	14	391	5	255
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	191	2,278	100.0	100.0	(3)	224	288	57	380	22	73
Independents.....	169			99.4							
Chains.....	---	2,278	100.0	.8		224	288	57	390	22	73
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	19	147	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	24	14	19	3	19
Independents.....	15	75	51.0	20.0		14	17	14	7	3	8
Chains.....	4	72	49.0	78.1		---	7	---	12	---	13
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.9		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	4,186	84,478	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,758	9,454	1,721	12,496	908	10,505

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
 1 These totals include data for 208 establishments with sales of \$5,952,000 located at the Golden Gate International Exposition. The principal kinds of business represented are eating-drinking places and souvenir-novelty shops.
 2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
 3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

COLORADO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	18,785	\$409,103	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,770	45,083	7,857	\$43,503	\$2,785	\$53,065
Independents.....	15,607	315,778	77.2	75.4	79.3	15,546	34,692	4,811	33,530	1,771	40,748
Single-store.....	14,725	279,738	68.4	68.1	70.3	15,106	29,920	4,123	28,715	1,544	36,395
Multiunit.....	743	34,310	8.4	6.8	9.0	314	4,609	614	4,683	204	4,314
Market and roadside stands.....	71	847	.2	.2	(1)	64	99	46	77	15	9
Leased departments—Independent.....	68	883	.2	.3	(1)	62	73	28	66	8	30
Chains.....	853	84,757	20.7	22.7	16.0	34	9,290	2,860	8,626	243	11,270
Local chains.....	184	10,316	2.5	2.5	3.1	20	1,219	279	1,115	92	788
Sectional or national chains.....	592	70,277	17.2	19.9	12.3	10	7,524	2,531	6,795	832	9,986
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	57	3,822	.9	.2	.5	2	459	25	635	18	431
Leased-department chains.....	20	542	.1	.1	.1	2	88	25	81	6	65
Other types.....	325	8,588	2.1	1.9	4.7	190	1,101	186	1,347	66	1,047
Utility-operated stores.....	74	2,298	.6	.5	.7	3	319	91	512	41	458
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	133	1,497	.3	.4	.4	122	330	47	348	8	78
Commissaries or company stores.....	23	2,327	.6	.5	.1	1	249	25	286	10	297
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	33	1,728	.4	.4	(1)	---	129	16	135	5	153
Other types of operation.....	62	718	.2	.1	3.5	64	74	7	66	2	61
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,000	8,833	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,022	473	123	348	30	834
Independents.....	990	8,538	96.7	75.0	50.9	1,018	455	117	330	28	829
Chains.....	5 }	295	3.3	24.0	48.9	4	18	6	18	2	5
Other types.....	5 }	295	3.3	1.0	.2	4	18	6	18	2	5
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,163	67,563	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,066	4,549	1,177	4,353	309	4,365
Independents.....	1,925	43,357	64.2	63.2	77.5	2,059	2,849	514	2,559	140	3,230
Chains.....	234	24,054	35.8	36.8	22.5	6	1,688	660	1,783	168	1,124
Other types.....	4	152	.2	---	---	1	12	3	11	1	11
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	164	3,548	100.0	(3)	(3)	143	528	48	481	18	40
Independents.....	153	3,264	92.0	---	---	140	484	44	449	16	37
Chains.....	10 }	284	8.0	---	---	3	44	4	32	2	3
Other types.....	1 }	284	8.0	---	---	3	44	4	32	2	3
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	250	1,366	100.0	100.0	(3)	237	193	55	128	16	80
Independents.....	223	1,097	80.3	92.3	---	222	149	50	93	14	67
Chains.....	13	154	11.3	6.2	---	---	31	4	25	1	8
Other types.....	14	115	8.4	1.5	---	15	13	1	10	1	5
Department stores.....	57	51,467	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	6,503	1,112	6,901	392	8,939
Independents.....	12	21,524	41.8	100.0	60.0	4	3,377	382	3,865	136	3,473
Chains and mail-order.....	45	29,943	58.2	---	40.0	---	3,126	730	3,036	256	5,466
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	158	7,913	100.0	100.0	100.0	90	1,757	984	936	323	1,211
Independents.....	94	789	10.0	6.2	14.5	90	130	51	61	11	231
Chains.....	44	7,124	90.0	93.8	85.5	---	1,627	933	875	312	980
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	154	4,435	100.0	100.0	100.0	145	377	62	492	29	1,559
Independents.....	150	4,181	94.3	95.1	90.4	143	358	59	469	27	1,510
Chains.....	4	254	5.7	4.5	9.3	2	19	3	23	2	49
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	.4	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	90	4,413	100.0	100.0	100.0	79	621	144	715	62	1,345
Independents.....	85	4,192	95.0	100.0	96.7	78	574	129	688	57	1,312
Chains.....	4 }	221	5.0	---	3.3	1	47	15	27	5	33
Other types.....	1 }	221	5.0	---	---	1	47	15	27	5	33
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	210	6,313	100.0	100.0	100.0	187	838	181	904	70	949
Independents.....	189	5,062	80.2	88.1	95.5	186	704	145	798	54	880
Chains.....	21	1,251	19.8	11.3	4.3	1	134	36	106	16	89
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	.6	2.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	104	3,355	100.0	100.0	100.0	76	363	92	417	37	797
Independents.....	73	1,593	47.5	47.4	64.9	69	175	19	223	7	502
Chains.....	27	1,580	47.1	51.2	33.3	4	185	62	171	25	285
Leased departments.....	4	182	5.4	1.4	---	3	23	11	23	5	30
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	1.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	176	7,259	100.0	100.0	100.0	179	720	31	1,013	11	1,784
Independents.....	175	7,259	100.0	---	81.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	18.3	179	720	31	1,013	11	1,784
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	156	3,293	100.0	(3)	(3)	56	502	90	756	43	612
Independents.....	60	701	21.3	---	---	56	89	11	104	6	110
Chains.....	15	499	15.1	---	---	---	117	---	170	---	86
Utility-operated stores.....	81	2,093	63.6	---	---	---	296	79	482	37	416
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	71	1,477	100.0	(3)	(3)	58	192	28	224	11	229
Independents.....	62	1,349	91.3	---	---	58	177	19	202	8	201
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	9	128	8.7	---	---	---	15	9	22	3	28
Radio stores—other.....	37	1,090	100.0	100.0	100.0	32	149	4	179	1	240
Independents.....	35	1,090	100.0	100.0	80.9	32	149	4	179	1	240
Chains.....	2 }	---	---	---	19.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

COLORADO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	414	\$54,935	100.0	100.0	(3)	379	3,962	114	\$5,248	\$84	\$6,090
Independents	412										
Chains	2	54,935	100.0	100.0		379	3,962	114	5,248	84	6,090
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	275	5,921	100.0	100.0	(3)	241	717	70	808	32	730
Independents	238	3,819	61.1	48.0		241	484	42	509	18	472
Chains	35	2,302	38.9	52.0			233	28	299	14	258
Other types											
Filling stations	3,109	35,106	100.0	100.0		2,935	2,812	503	2,353	168	1,340
Independents	2,925	30,033	85.5	87.0			2,341	475	1,887	180	1,074
Chains	158	3,576	10.2	10.1		7	360	16	365	4	150
Other types	26	1,497	4.3	2.9		2	111	12	121	4	116
Lumber, building-materials dealers	340	16,533	100.0	100.0	(3)	149	1,580	298	1,992	157	4,558
Independents	247	13,208	79.9	71.1		146	1,233	192	1,617	118	3,218
Chains	90	3,228	19.5	28.9		1	338	103	366	38	1,319
Other types	3	99	.6			2	9	3	9	1	21
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	45	1,142	100.0	100.0	(3)	44	131	13	165	10	242
Independents	41	918	80.4	83.3		44	113	13	137	10	179
Chains	4	224	19.6	16.7			18		28		63
Other types											
Hardware stores	238	5,000	100.0	100.0	100.0	226	458	62	491	28	1,889
Independents	238	5,000	100.0	100.0	98.2	226	458	62	491	28	1,889
Chains					1.8						
Other types											
Restaurants, other eating places	1,807	18,928	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,669	6,064	586	3,647	168	233
Independents	1,587	18,248	96.4	93.7	95.2	1,688	5,881	574	3,509	164	218
Chains	20	680	3.6	6.1	4.5	3	183	12	138	4	15
Other types					.3						
Drug stores with fountain	571	18,392	100.0	100.0	(3)	488	2,068	385	1,928	156	3,241
Independents	542	14,595	79.4	74.2		488	1,608	299	1,475	104	2,840
Chains	29	3,797	20.6	25.8			462	86	453	52	401
Other types											
Drug stores, other	87	1,475	100.0	100.0	(3)	73	163	32	179	12	366
Independents	87	1,475	100.0	100.0		73	163	32	179	12	366
Chains											
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	369	5,206	100.0	100.0		346	219	54	188	18	632
Independents	369	5,206	100.0	100.0		346	219	54	188	18	632
Chains											
State liquor stores											
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	655	9,106	100.0	100.0	100.0	648	1,141	256	1,180	154	277
Independents	653										
Chains	1	9,106	100.0	.3	92.9	648	1,141	256	1,180	154	277
Other types	1			3.0	2.0						
Hay, grain and feed stores	181	5,131	100.0	100.0	(3)	154	331	66	301	27	514
Independents	175	4,818	93.9	75.6		150	320	65	281	26	489
Chains	4	313	6.1	22.5		4	11	1	20	1	25
Farmers' cooperative stores	2			1.9							
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	28	355	100.0	100.0	(3)	23	47	2	62	2	80
Independents	25	273	78.9	89.2		21	39	2	43	2	70
Chains											
Farmers' cooperative stores				10.8							
Other types	3	82	23.1			2	8		19		10
Jewelry stores	173	3,734	100.0	100.0		169	379	26	586	10	1,352
Independents	172										
Chains	1	3,734	100.0	99.6	96.7	169	379	26	586	10	1,352
Other types				.4	2.2						
Cigar stores, cigar stands	157	1,354	100.0	100.0	100.0	161	122	48	81	16	132
Independents	153	1,270	93.8	98.5	91.4	160	93	27	69	9	127
Chains	3	84	8.2	1.5	5.8	1	29	21	12	7	5
Other types	1			2.8							
Florists	124	1,323	100.0	100.0	(3)	117	187	48	187	18	41
Independents	124	1,323	100.0	100.0		117	187	48	187	18	41
Chains											
Other types											
News dealers	21	83	100.0	100.0	(3)	19	20	4	5	1	4
Independents	19										
Chains	1	83	100.0	85.4		19	20	4	5	1	4
Other types	1			25.4							
All other kinds of business	3,645	55,054	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,555	8,917	1,159	6,255	390	8,360

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

CONNECTICUT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	25,873	\$717,262	100.0	100.0	100.0	21,715	70,248	11,722	\$79,905	\$4,565	\$78,866
Independents	23,447	547,878	76.4	73.7	76.1	21,565	52,388	7,141	60,572	2,831	64,728
Single-store	21,800	487,434	68.0	66.3	68.2	20,714	45,621	6,311	52,655	2,547	57,507
Multiunit	1,441	57,524	8.0	7.1	7.9	675	6,350	733	7,546	249	7,245
Market and roadside stands	125	621	.1	.1	—	114	105	15	112	6	2
Leased departments—-independent	61	2,297	.3	.2	—	62	312	82	259	29	174
Chains	2,194	159,778	22.3	25.1	21.1	36	16,619	4,426	17,819	1,645	13,164
Local chains	474	21,223	3.0	1.7	5.9	29	2,080	228	2,394	76	1,875
Sectional or national chains	1,418	124,247	17.3	22.9	15.3	5	12,759	3,954	15,171	1,483	9,862
Manufacturer-controlled chains	187	10,188	1.4	.2	—	—	1,261	116	1,741	44	1,140
Leased-department chains	115	4,120	.6	.3	—	4	519	128	513	42	287
Other types	232	9,608	1.3	1.2	2.8	114	1,241	155	1,514	89	974
Utility-operated stores	56	3,273	.5	.3	—	2	528	93	609	58	663
Direct selling (house-to-house)	55	2,482	.3	.4	—	25	547	40	680	21	83
Commissaries or company stores	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores	27	2,181	.3	.2	—	—	99	15	126	8	160
Other types of operation	94	1,672	.2	.2	2.8	87	69	7	99	2	68
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	2,858	37,650	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,182	2,126	653	2,187	227	2,751
Independents	2,236	19,306	51.3	55.4	52.9	2,177	741	185	610	63	1,576
Chains	614	18,276	48.5	44.6	47.1	1	1,376	468	1,571	164	1,171
Other types	8	68	.2	—	1.4	4	7	—	6	—	4
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	3,030	108,801	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,655	7,565	1,710	7,828	599	6,196
Independents	2,659	62,479	57.4	51.6	71.2	2,638	3,858	660	3,977	223	3,798
Chains	360	45,994	42.3	48.3	28.1	9	3,683	1,044	3,823	374	2,384
Other types	11	328	.3	.1	.7	6	24	6	23	2	14
Dairy products, milk dealers	326	19,723	100.0	(1)	(1)	269	2,465	132	4,073	56	208
Independents	294	11,891	60.3	—	—	267	1,529	114	2,292	49	131
Chains	32	7,832	39.7	—	—	2	936	18	1,781	7	75
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	681	5,807	100.0	100.0	(1)	619	555	164	409	55	297
Independents	631	4,706	81.0	84.9	—	616	330	104	229	35	270
Chains	50	1,101	19.0	15.0	—	1	225	60	180	20	27
Other types	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores	68	50,419	100.0	100.0	100.0	2	7,511	1,152	7,931	469	5,952
Independents	29	36,689	72.8	75.4	93.3	2	5,876	514	6,516	264	4,298
Chains	39	13,730	27.2	24.6	6.7	—	1,635	638	1,415	205	1,654
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores	196	14,365	100.0	100.0	100.0	119	2,680	1,326	1,711	497	1,772
Independents	132	1,677	11.7	6.8	8.0	119	216	70	139	19	451
Chains	64	12,688	88.3	93.2	92.0	—	2,464	1,256	1,572	478	1,321
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	435	15,251	100.0	100.0	100.0	323	1,306	192	1,891	70	4,311
Independents	397	12,507	82.0	80.6	86.8	321	1,043	150	1,515	51	3,866
Chains	38	2,744	18.0	19.4	12.2	2	263	42	376	19	445
Other types	—	—	—	(2)	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores	133	6,763	100.0	100.0	100.0	105	846	217	908	66	1,401
Independents	116	5,835	86.3	90.4	87.8	104	705	181	777	56	1,275
Chains	17	928	13.7	9.6	12.2	1	141	36	131	10	126
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores	424	17,548	100.0	100.0	100.0	317	2,290	458	2,353	197	2,109
Independents	398	13,763	78.4	80.3	78.9	315	1,772	335	1,872	106	1,831
Chains	26	3,785	21.6	19.7	21.1	2	518	123	481	91	278
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds)	353	11,091	100.0	100.0	100.0	178	993	321	1,148	128	2,605
Independents	223	4,882	39.5	49.5	62.2	175	589	76	479	31	1,490
Chains	108	5,880	53.0	46.9	26.3	2	517	219	561	86	939
Leased departments	22	829	7.5	3.6	11.5	1	87	26	108	11	176
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores	285	17,485	100.0	100.0	100.0	180	1,955	69	3,182	31	4,092
Independents	281	17,485	100.0	89.6	95.4	180	1,955	69	3,182	31	4,092
Chains	4	—	—	10.4	4.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers	136	5,788	100.0	(1)	(1)	36	932	112	1,197	65	970
Independents	56	1,514	26.1	—	—	36	195	16	269	6	210
Chains	28	1,098	19.0	—	—	—	224	4	335	2	117
Utility-operated stores	52	3,175	54.9	—	—	—	513	92	593	57	643
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers	124	3,831	100.0	(1)	(1)	117	345	37	443	20	526
Independents	122	3,831	100.0	—	—	117	345	37	443	20	526
Chains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other	34	865	100.0	100.0	100.0	26	102	7	143	3	208
Independents	33	865	100.0	75.9	88.1	26	102	7	143	3	208
Chains	—	—	—	24.1	11.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

CONNECTICUT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	441	\$73,481	100.0	100.0	(1)	255	4,583	73	\$7,067	\$45	\$6,693
Independents	439			97.2							
Chains	2	73,481	100.0	2.8		255	4,583	73	7,067	45	6,693
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	281	10,314	100.0	100.0	(1)	156	1,113	53	1,481	21	1,639
Independents	199	5,984	58.0	58.2		156	677	31	897	12	1,066
Chains	82	4,330	42.0	41.8			436	22	584	9	573
Other types											
Filling stations	2,930	42,238	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,710	3,073	490	3,135	199	1,528
Independents	2,792	38,995	92.3	74.1	58.2	2,708	2,742	473	2,787	195	1,464
Chains	138	3,243	7.7	25.9	41.1	2	331	17	398	4	64
Other types				.7							
Lumber, building-materials dealers	210	26,534	100.0	100.0	(1)	88	2,183	112	3,808	87	5,594
Independents	191	24,092	90.8	100.0		88	1,955	107	3,452	83	5,015
Chains	19	2,442	9.2				228	5	356	4	579
Other types											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	165	3,372	100.0	100.0	(1)	127	315	35	432	23	787
Independents	152	2,862	84.9	85.3		126	266	35	360	23	698
Chains	13	510	15.1	14.7		1	49		72		89
Other types											
Hardware stores	298	8,791	100.0	100.0	100.0	228	814	50	1,154	26	2,828
Independents	293	8,632	98.2	99.1	97.8	227	796	47	1,131	24	2,768
Chains	2			.9							
Other types	3	159	1.8		2.2	1	18	3	23	2	40
Restaurants, other eating places	2,623	41,435	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,538	8,974	1,276	7,225	402	605
Independents	2,579	39,507	95.3	93.7	93.3	2,536	8,457	1,251	6,777	398	592
Chains	44	1,928	4.7	5.5	6.7	2	517	25	448	4	13
Other types				.8							
Drug stores with fountain	747	22,138	100.0	100.0	(1)	600	2,007	392	2,158	159	3,961
Independents	706	18,447	83.3	81.3		600	1,591	357	1,698	141	3,462
Chains	41	3,691	16.7	18.7			416	35	460	18	499
Other types											
Drug stores, other	149	4,105	100.0	100.0	(1)	103	345	40	386	18	724
Independents	115	2,185	53.2			103	169	28	196	12	455
Chains	34	1,920	46.8	100.0			176	12	190	6	269
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	1,012	17,554	100.0	100.0	---	789	616	126	715	48	2,589
Independents	941	14,236	81.1	92.5	---	786	467	112	487	43	2,198
Chains	71	3,318	18.9	7.5	---	3	149	14	228	5	391
State liquor stores											
Other types			One store cmbd with "Independents."								
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	771	34,066	100.0	100.0	100.0	638	2,805	317	3,874	208	2,403
Independents	746	29,878	87.7	83.3	84.9	638	2,337	288	3,155	182	1,993
Chains	25	4,188	12.3	15.7	13.2		468	29	719	26	410
Other types				1.0	1.3						
Hay, grain and feed stores	199	15,231	100.0	100.0	(1)	90	683	41	908	18	1,165
Independents	128	7,478	49.1	50.0		90	363	20	477	7	620
Chains	58	6,073	39.9	46.0			269	12	360	6	416
Farmers' cooperative stores	13	1,680	11.0	4.0			51	9	71	5	129
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	25	787	100.0	100.0	(1)	17	74	5	109	2	87
Independents	21			90.7							
Chains	1										
Farmers' cooperative stores		787	100.0	9.3		17	74	5	109	2	87
Other types	1										
Jewelry stores	221	6,908	100.0	100.0	100.0	149	691	52	1,190	25	2,851
Independents	206	5,879	85.1	78.0	97.7	149	576	41	994	21	2,642
Chains	15	1,029	14.9	22.0	2.3		115	11	196	4	209
Other types											
Cigar stores, cigar stands	340	4,670	100.0	100.0	100.0	307	259	71	252	17	368
Independents	317	3,280	70.2	50.5	65.0	307	184	71	140	17	263
Chains	23	1,390	29.8	39.4	35.0		75		112		105
Other types				10.1							
Florists	300	3,354	100.0	100.0	(1)	287	451	62	503	32	294
Independents	299			99.6							
Chains	1	3,354	100.0	.4		287	451	62	503	32	294
Other types											
News dealers	134	1,963	100.0	100.0	(1)	118	186	92	114	21	145
Independents	113			90.3							
Chains	20	1,963	100.0	9.7		118	186	92	114	21	145
Other types	1										
All other kinds of business	5,946	84,934	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,387	9,405	1,885	9,990	731	11,209

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Comparable data not available.

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

DELAWARE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on-hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	4,544	\$110,052	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,001	10,972	1,929	\$11,168	\$601	\$12,193
Independents.....	4,227	86,926	79.0	78.7	80.6	3,967	8,625	1,268	8,476	378	10,312
Single-store.....	3,945	74,925	68.1	70.6	73.9	3,799	7,348	1,156	7,108	342	9,176
Multiunit.....	177	11,731	10.7	7.5	6.7	67	1,149	103	1,352	33	1,117
Market and roadside stands.....	94	158	.1	.6	—	90	14	3	8	2	1
Leased departments—-independent.....	11	112	.1	—	—	11	14	6	8	1	18
Chains.....	262	20,879	19.0	20.3	16.7	5	2,151	623	2,189	212	1,748
Local chains.....	13	3,103	2.8	.2	1.3	—	234	6	411	2	257
Sectional or national chains.....	213	16,490	15.0	19.7	14.4	3	1,760	595	1,605	204	1,333
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	21	755	.7	.2	.8	—	93	10	115	2	103
Leased-department chains.....	15	531	.5	.2	.2	2	64	12	58	4	55
Other types.....	55	2,247	2.0	1.0	2.7	29	296	38	503	11	133
Utility-operated stores.....	8	597	.5	.7	.5	—	67	4	195	1	81
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	15	970	.9	.1	.1	8	196	21	281	7	8
Commissaries or company stores.....	One store cmbd with "Other types."	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	9	578	.5	—	—	—	29	11	24	3	38
Other types of operation.....	23	102	.1	.1	2.1	21	4	2	3	(2)	6
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	348	3,573	100.0	100.0	100.0	274	240	79	212	24	356
Independents.....	279	1,605	44.9	54.8	32.8	274	68	33	38	9	209
Chains.....	66	1,887	52.3	45.2	67.2	—	159	46	158	15	139
Other types.....	3	101	2.8	—	—	—	13	—	16	—	8
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	823	16,481	100.0	100.0	100.0	558	1,273	279	1,115	95	1,028
Independents.....	584	10,816	65.6	62.6	68.0	558	777	114	645	20	803
Chains.....	59	5,865	34.4	37.1	32.0	—	496	165	470	75	225
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	62	2,356	100.0	(1)	(1)	41	369	20	507	7	11
Independents.....	52	2,292	97.3	—	—	41	356	18	500	7	10
Chains.....	10	64	2.7	—	—	—	13	2	7	(2)	1
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	194	958	100.0	100.0	(1)	188	124	18	100	5	37
Independents.....	189	958	100.0	100.0	—	188	124	18	100	5	37
Chains.....	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	7	4,375	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	618	164	601	51	457
Independents.....	4	2,993	68.4	68.9	87.7	4	455	102	458	29	309
Chains.....	3	1,382	31.8	31.1	12.3	—	163	62	143	22	148
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	38	2,442	100.0	100.0	100.0	18	525	266	296	64	368
Independents.....	29	587	24.0	13.2	11.4	18	149	72	76	9	183
Chains.....	9	1,855	76.0	86.3	88.8	—	376	194	220	55	185
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	74	2,578	100.0	100.0	100.0	55	220	35	307	15	728
Independents.....	88	2,194	85.1	89.0	90.6	55	193	30	274	10	685
Chains.....	8	384	14.9	11.0	9.4	—	27	5	33	5	43
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	21	820	100.0	100.0	100.0	15	74	20	71	6	183
Independents.....	18	423	68.2	79.4	83.0	15	45	12	41	3	162
Chains.....	3	197	31.8	20.8	17.0	—	29	8	30	3	21
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	52	3,166	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	417	78	463	26	371
Independents.....	46	2,681	84.7	88.4	89.0	39	362	57	425	22	336
Chains.....	6	485	15.3	11.8	11.0	2	55	21	38	4	35
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	44	1,508	100.0	100.0	100.0	24	142	37	158	13	369
Independents.....	27	619	41.1	39.9	53.2	21	65	8	78	2	202
Chains.....	12	855	43.4	53.7	37.1	—	57	23	62	9	109
Leased departments.....	5	234	15.5	6.4	9.7	3	20	6	18	2	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	53	2,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	303	7	464	5	544
Independents.....	51	2,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	303	7	464	5	544
Chains.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	23	893	100.0	(1)	(1)	10	110	6	245	2	120
Independents.....	12	189	21.2	—	—	10	19	1	16	1	29
Chains.....	3	107	12.0	—	—	—	24	1	32	(2)	10
Utility-operated stores.....	8	597	86.8	—	—	—	87	4	195	1	81
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	20	474	100.0	(1)	(1)	16	66	1	81	(2)	74
Independents.....	20	474	100.0	—	—	16	66	1	81	(2)	74
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	5	144	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	19	1	34	1	26
Independents.....	5	144	100.0	100.0	92.0	4	19	1	34	1	26
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	8.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

DELAWARE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	64	\$14,451	100.0	100.0	(1)	46	862	13	\$1,215	\$7	\$1,249
Independents	64	14,451	100.0	100.0		46	862	13	1,215	7	1,249
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ³	39	1,300	100.0	100.0	(1)	30	127	9	163	3	170
Independents	31	886	68.2	68.9		30	91	8	114	3	155
Chains	8	414	31.8	31.1		—	36	1	49	(2)	35
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations	640	8,390	100.0	100.0	100.0	606	617	72	628	22	373
Independents	621	7,014	83.6	82.3	82.0	606	501	72	422	22	272
Chains	19	1,376	16.4	17.7	18.0	—	116	—	204	—	101
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers	48	3,849	100.0	100.0	(1)	22	401	62	560	28	931
Independents	48	3,849	100.0	100.0		22	401	62	560	28	931
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	20	214	100.0	100.0	(1)	16	29	2	40	1	82
Independents	19	214	100.0	96.6		16	29	2	40	1	82
Chains	1	—	—	3.4		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	48	1,007	100.0	100.0	100.0	45	106	8	112	2	445
Independents	48	1,007	100.0	100.0	94.9	45	106	8	112	2	445
Chains	—	—	—	—	5.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places	430	4,000	100.0	100.0	100.0	423	1,106	114	627	25	77
Independents	429	4,000	100.0	100.0	99.1	423	1,106	114	627	25	77
Chains	1	—	—	—	.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain	79	2,391	100.0	100.0	(1)	81	274	36	232	12	483
Independents	76	2,391	100.0	100.0		61	274	36	232	12	483
Chains	3	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	42	802	100.0	100.0	(1)	33	76	20	69	6	222
Independents	38	341	42.5	—		33	47	16	37	5	136
Chains	4	461	57.5	100.0		—	29	4	32	1	86
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	79	1,596	100.0	100.0	—	63	57	13	62	5	198
Independents	79	1,596	100.0	100.0		63	57	13	62	5	198
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	150	4,673	100.0	100.0	100.0	147	440	65	570	30	310
Independents	148	4,673	100.0	45.2	96.6	147	440	65	570	30	310
Chains	2	—	—	54.8	1.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores	90	7,684	100.0	100.0	(1)	92	270	34	268	14	479
Independents	84	7,135	92.9	100.0		92	246	26	247	12	443
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	6	549	7.1	—		—	24	8	21	2	36
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores	28	472	100.0	100.0	(1)	30	39	11	26	2	67
Independents	28	472	100.0	99.3		30	39	11	26	2	67
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores	37	976	100.0	100.0	100.0	26	115	4	170	1	427
Independents	35	976	100.0	100.0	100.0	26	115	4	170	1	427
Chains	2	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands	85	1,000	100.0	100.0	100.0	78	58	7	68	2	89
Independents	81	1,000	100.0	100.0	71.7	78	58	7	68	2	89
Chains	4	—	—	28.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists	55	451	100.0	100.0	(1)	50	58	11	51	5	19
Independents	55	451	100.0	100.0		50	58	11	51	5	19
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	21	232	100.0	100.0	(1)	18	56	26	19	4	10
Independents	18	232	100.0	76.3		16	56	26	19	4	10
Chains	3	—	—	23.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	1,025	14,168	100.0	100.0	100.0	932	1,781	411	1,858	118	1,890

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

¹ Comparable data not available.

² Less than \$500.

³ Includes two motorcycle dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,893	\$402,768	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,498	48,072	6,664	\$56,007	\$3,209	\$55,511
Independents.....	5,827	291,584	72.4	68.7	72.8	5,463	35,316	4,294	40,943	2,132	27,998
Single-store.....	5,119	249,299	61.9	59.3	62.4	4,990	29,916	3,441	34,744	1,821	24,402
Multiunit.....	448	38,576	9.6	8.1	10.2	208	5,072	770	5,895	281	3,539
Market and roadside stands.....	244	3,493	.8	1.2	—	252	291	78	271	28	35
Leased departments—Independent.....	16	216	.1	.1	.2	13	37	5	33	2	22
Chains.....	1,033	107,197	26.6	30.5	27.0	23	12,122	2,205	14,290	1,050	7,237
Local chains.....	231	20,626	5.1	5.9	4.4	14	3,014	391	3,934	179	1,367
Sectional or national chains.....	652	75,082	18.6	22.9	20.6	8	8,071	1,705	8,827	816	5,047
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	112	8,805	2.2	1.1	1.3	1	724	31	1,154	23	612
Leased-department chains.....	38	2,684	.7	.6	.7	—	313	78	375	32	211
Other types.....	33	3,987	1.0	.8	.2	12	634	165	774	27	278
Utility-operated stores.....One store cmbd with "Other types."	18	1,187	.3	.3	.2	4	360	153	325	23	43
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	3	171	.1	—	—	—	19	4	22	2	5
Other types of operation.....	12	2,629	.6	.1	(1)	8	255	8	427	2	228
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	279	3,511	100.0	100.0	100.0	239	164	41	165	12	121
Independents.....	247	2,257	64.3	40.9	19.8	239	87	16	65	4	89
Chains.....	32	1,254	35.7	59.1	80.2	—	77	25	100	8	32
Other types.....Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,307	61,205	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,069	3,740	827	4,341	286	2,307
Independents.....	1,013	32,122	52.5	46.7	51.6	1,069	2,007	303	2,085	103	1,519
Chains.....	294	29,083	47.5	53.2	47.9	—	1,733	524	2,256	183	788
Other types.....One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	.1	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	85	13,286	100.0	(2)	(2)	17	1,406	14	2,572	2	126
Independents.....	20	4,011	30.2	—	—	16	497	14	941	2	44
Chains.....	65	9,275	89.8	—	—	1	909	—	1,831	—	82
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	118	1,341	100.0	100.0	(2)	96	251	20	237	22	45
Independents.....	101	835	62.3	53.8	—	96	134	12	124	10	30
Chains.....	17	506	37.7	46.2	—	—	117	8	113	12	15
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	11	58,017	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	9,362	1,711	11,518	1,089	6,450
Independents.....	9	58,017	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	9,362	1,711	11,518	1,089	6,450
Chains.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	71	9,782	100.0	100.0	100.0	42	1,838	758	1,492	336	919
Independents.....	46	764	7.8	4.0	4.7	42	141	61	100	20	154
Chains.....	25	9,018	92.2	96.0	95.3	—	1,697	697	1,392	316	765
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	168	9,270	100.0	100.0	100.0	123	739	100	1,191	41	1,987
Independents.....	147	6,862	74.0	83.6	87.0	121	544	41	918	19	1,611
Chains.....	21	2,408	26.0	16.4	9.6	2	195	59	275	22	356
Other types.....One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	3.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	70	5,545	100.0	100.0	100.0	57	601	82	906	40	858
Independents.....	62	4,888	88.2	74.5	75.3	57	498	71	789	30	795
Chains.....	8	657	11.8	25.5	26.7	—	103	11	117	10	63
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	166	13,452	100.0	100.0	100.0	116	2,034	574	2,137	213	1,414
Independents.....	150	10,968	81.5	83.2	81.4	114	1,809	526	1,901	194	1,157
Chains.....	16	2,484	18.5	16.8	13.6	2	225	48	236	19	257
Other types.....One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	5.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	120	7,620	100.0	100.0	100.0	38	726	146	1,041	80	1,495
Independents.....	65	2,276	29.8	31.7	37.2	36	239	40	373	19	558
Chains.....	48	5,057	66.4	63.7	43.9	2	460	97	631	56	872
Leased departments.....	7	287	3.8	4.8	18.9	—	27	9	37	5	65
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	64	8,689	100.0	100.0	100.0	42	861	60	1,278	76	1,685
Independents.....	59	8,689	100.0	100.0	61.4	42	861	60	1,278	76	1,685
Chains.....	5	—	—	—	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	27	2,191	100.0	(2)	(2)	13	378	5	562	2	267
Independents.....	16	1,671	76.3	—	—	13	269	3	415	1	196
Chains.....	11	520	23.7	—	—	—	109	2	147	1	71
Utility-operated stores.....One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	24	2,059	100.0	(2)	(2)	16	134	5	179	2	279
Independents.....	12	394	19.1	—	—	14	43	5	53	2	46
Chains.....	12	1,665	80.9	—	—	2	91	—	126	—	233
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	7	401	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	61	1	103	1	55
Independents.....	7	401	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	61	1	103	1	55
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	68	\$40,478	100.0	100.0	(2)	28	2,372	25	\$3,945	\$17	\$2,892
Independents.....	68	40,478	100.0	77.1		28	2,372	25	3,945	17	2,892
Chains.....	---	---	---	22.9		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	56	4,231	100.0	100.0	(2)	28	479	10	693	5	610
Independents.....	29	1,927	45.5	55.6		27	248	6	366	3	257
Chains.....	27	2,304	54.5	64.4		1	231	4	327	2	353
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	495	18,163	100.0	100.0	100.0	359	2,196	190	2,255	71	446
Independents.....	385	13,921	76.6	48.5	52.4	354	1,527	136	1,541	46	381
Chains.....	110	4,242	23.4	51.5	47.6	5	669	54	714	25	65
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	32	7,732	100.0	100.0	(2)	9	627	47	1,032	69	1,221
Independents.....	27	---	---	100.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	4	7,732	100.0	---		9	627	47	1,032	69	1,221
Other types.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	28	1,643	100.0	100.0	(2)	15	159	5	292	3	267
Independents.....	22	1,014	61.7	70.8		15	113	5	180	3	145
Chains.....	6	629	38.3	29.2		---	46	---	112	---	122
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores ³	99	2,497	100.0	100.0	100.0	87	247	17	314	13	730
Independents.....	88	---	---	---	97.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	11	2,497	100.0	100.0	2.2	87	247	17	314	13	730
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,034	32,629	100.0	100.0	100.0	930	9,524	913	7,312	389	296
Independents.....	926	25,332	77.7	76.5	89.2	925	7,211	556	5,292	205	228
Chains.....	105	7,122	21.8	22.3	10.7	1	2,267	349	1,973	182	67
Other types.....	3	175	.5	1.2	.1	4	46	8	47	2	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	281	21,131	100.0	100.0	(2)	188	2,566	195	2,893	78	2,168
Independents.....	221	10,009	47.4	40.4		188	1,322	195	1,340	78	1,216
Chains.....	60	11,122	52.6	59.6		---	1,244	---	1,553	---	952
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	47	3,231	100.0	100.0	(2)	38	207	19	253	8	261
Independents.....	46	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	3,231	100.0	100.0		38	207	19	253	8	261
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	249	11,923	100.0	100.0	---	222	573	58	649	23	1,402
Independents.....	249	11,923	100.0	100.0	---	222	573	58	649	23	1,402
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	148	10,676	100.0	100.0	100.0	134	971	75	1,291	46	536
Independents.....	145	---	---	82.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	10,676	100.0	18.0	100.0	134	971	75	1,291	46	536
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	7	285	100.0	100.0	(2)	4	30	---	40	---	24
Independents.....	7	285	100.0	100.0		4	30	---	40	---	24
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	5	444	100.0	100.0	(2)	2	44	---	63	---	116
Independents.....	5	444	100.0	100.0		2	44	---	63	---	116
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	83	5,052	100.0	100.0	100.0	62	440	14	816	12	1,648
Independents.....	79	4,657	92.2	99.1	93.5	62	411	14	750	12	1,582
Chains.....	4	395	7.8	.9	6.5	---	29	---	66	---	66
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	62	944	100.0	100.0	100.0	48	78	14	78	7	57
Independents.....	52	467	49.5	50.8	66.2	48	34	8	28	3	19
Chains.....	10	477	50.5	49.2	33.8	---	44	6	50	4	38
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	98	2,193	100.0	100.0	(2)	80	361	75	421	27	61
Independents.....	89	1,539	70.2	61.3		80	228	50	275	23	35
Chains.....	9	654	29.8	38.7		---	133	25	146	4	26
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	71	983	100.0	100.0	(2)	33	95	14	97	6	26
Independents.....	36	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	35	983	100.0	42.5		33	95	14	97	6	26
Other types.....	---	---	---	57.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	1,513	42,164	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,559	4,808	649	5,841	233	4,762

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 No comparable data available.

3 Includes one farm implement-tractor-hardware dealer.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

FLORIDA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	28,614	\$814,464	100.0	100.0	100.0	25,251	73,180	11,401	\$64,244	\$5,541	\$76,748
Independents.....	26,879	475,054	77.3	75.8	81.1	25,077	55,750	6,431	48,824	2,212	62,153
Single-store.....	24,990	413,511	67.3	69.1	71.8	24,006	47,432	5,324	40,703	1,687	53,004
Multiunit.....	1,364	58,239	9.5	6.4	9.2	582	7,831	1,045	7,776	503	8,977
Market and roadside stands.....	397	1,641	.2	.2	(1)	392	268	27	174	9	43
Leased departments—-independent.....	128	1,863	.3	.1	.1	117	219	35	171	13	129
Chains.....	1,386	130,506	21.2	22.7	17.8	27	18,180	4,722	14,091	1,249	13,718
Local chains.....	214	16,878	2.7	2.4	4.2	17	1,973	339	1,987	77	1,782
Sectional or national chains.....	1,017	101,828	16.6	19.9	12.9	10	12,848	4,219	10,341	1,115	10,675
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	112	10,748	1.7	.2	.4	---	1,172	113	1,613	44	1,158
Leased-department chains.....	43	1,052	.2	.2	.3	---	187	51	150	13	123
Other types.....	349	8,904	1.5	1.5	1.1	147	1,260	248	1,329	80	877
Utility-operated stores.....	75	2,717	.5	.4	.2	2	368	132	498	59	422
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	61	1,434	.3	.3	.2	33	492	60	438	8	80
Commissaries or company stores.....	149	3,188	.5	.8	.7	83	228	40	234	10	308
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	12	351	(1)	.1	---	---	59	5	38	1	23
Other types of operation.....	52	1,214	.2	.1	(1)	49	113	11	125	2	44
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,521	17,913	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,321	1,161	406	759	97	1,277
Independents.....	2,350	13,036	72.8	61.4	52.9	2,269	721	178	421	42	1,014
Chains.....	91	4,415	24.6	37.7	45.8	1	406	218	317	52	247
Other types.....	80	462	2.8	.9	1.3	51	34	12	21	3	18
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,619	98,811	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,214	9,000	2,797	6,883	682	8,306
Independents.....	3,220	63,324	64.1	67.0	70.8	3,203	5,587	1,409	3,980	357	4,828
Chains.....	381	35,177	35.8	32.9	29.0	4	3,384	1,387	2,661	325	1,454
Other types.....	18	310	.3	.1	.4	7	29	1	22	(2)	24
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	139	5,123	100.0	(3)	(3)	93	1,116	61	1,087	20	81
Independents.....	124	4,779	93.3	---	---	93	1,025	46	1,028	14	75
Chains.....	15	344	6.7	---	---	---	91	15	59	6	8
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	287	1,086	100.0	100.0	(3)	288	123	21	69	5	58
Independents.....	281	1,061	97.7	84.5	---	285	117	20	65	5	57
Chains.....	2	25	2.3	15.0	---	3	6	1	4	(2)	1
Other types.....	4	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	48	33,305	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	4,853	1,189	4,888	650	4,882
Independents.....	18	18,282	54.8	58.7	81.1	4	3,025	533	3,265	391	2,835
Chains.....	30	15,043	45.2	41.3	18.9	---	1,828	656	1,623	259	2,047
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	311	18,285	100.0	100.0	100.0	171	3,901	1,768	1,927	354	2,979
Independents.....	206	2,446	13.4	10.6	6.1	169	543	203	241	30	779
Chains.....	105	15,839	86.6	89.4	93.9	2	3,358	1,565	1,686	324	2,200
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	310	9,485	100.0	100.0	100.0	212	850	105	1,085	34	3,155
Independents.....	284	8,331	87.8	88.7	97.7	212	727	77	955	29	2,957
Chains.....	26	1,154	12.2	11.3	2.3	---	123	28	130	5	198
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	254	7,739	100.0	100.0	100.0	183	964	221	874	50	2,767
Independents.....	232	6,418	82.9	90.4	77.3	180	786	161	677	34	2,600
Chains.....	22	1,321	17.1	9.6	22.7	3	178	60	197	16	167
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	546	15,475	100.0	100.0	100.0	415	1,632	193	1,574	69	2,939
Independents.....	492	9,843	63.6	60.8	72.5	413	1,189	127	1,138	37	2,375
Chains.....	51	5,601	36.2	39.2	23.3	1	456	66	428	32	564
Other types.....	3	31	.2	---	4.2	1	7	---	8	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	227	8,293	100.0	100.0	100.0	103	775	213	860	61	2,075
Independents.....	137	2,900	35.0	44.4	65.7	99	267	40	316	10	910
Chains.....	68	5,070	61.1	52.9	34.3	1	468	159	507	48	1,070
Leased departments.....	22	323	3.9	2.7	---	3	40	14	37	3	95
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	411	19,522	100.0	100.0	100.0	271	2,437	82	3,089	31	3,535
Independents.....	363	13,812	70.8	70.1	83.0	268	1,716	78	2,170	29	2,887
Chains.....	48	5,710	29.2	29.9	17.0	3	721	4	919	2	848
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	203	6,235	100.0	(3)	(3)	79	877	159	1,173	85	850
Independents.....	118	3,017	48.4	---	---	79	388	32	469	27	356
Chains.....	16	936	15.0	---	---	---	171	---	278	---	181
Utility-operated stores.....	89	2,282	36.6	---	---	---	318	127	428	58	333
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	78	1,708	100.0	(3)	(3)	70	225	24	212	8	224
Independents.....	75	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	1,708	100.0	---	---	70	225	24	212	8	224
Other types.....	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	64	988	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	128	2	141	1	158
Independents.....	59	---	---	98.6	88.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	988	100.0	1.4	11.4	54	128	2	141	1	158
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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RETAIL TRADE:1939

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

FLORIDA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	439	\$84,447	100.0	100.0	(5)	275	5,704	66	\$7,582	\$36	\$7,569
Independents.....	436			94.4		275	5,704	66	7,582	36	7,569
Chains.....	3	84,447	100.0	5.6							
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	242	11,118	100.0	100.0	(5)	179	1,447	68	1,686	38	1,269
Independents.....	194	4,793	43.1	36.5		179	710	23	732	16	732
Chains.....	48	6,325	56.9	63.5			737	45	954	22	537
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	4,653	51,064	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,371	4,515	396	3,413	130	1,670
Independents.....	4,643	47,285	92.6	83.6	75.8	4,369	4,081	379	2,919	123	1,548
Chains.....	105	3,581	7.0	16.0	24.8	2	419	16	474	6	113
Other types.....	5	198	.4	.4	1.4		15	1	20	1	9
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	337	26,760	100.0	100.0	(5)	193	2,662	290	3,206	181	4,478
Independents.....	309	23,279	87.0	87.1		193	2,340	268	2,699	164	3,732
Chains.....	28	3,481	13.0	12.9			322	22	507	17	746
Other types.....		One store cmbd with "Independents."									
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	107	2,402	100.0	100.0	(5)	71	253	14	298	5	527
Independents.....	93	1,524	63.4	67.6		71	169	10	178	4	326
Chains.....	14	878	36.6	32.4			84	4	120	1	201
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	333	11,212	100.0	100.0	100.0	241	1,075	76	1,305	29	4,069
Independents.....	324	10,729	95.7	96.0	76.9	239	1,045	75	1,258	29	3,927
Chains.....	7		3.3	13.8							
Other types.....	2	483	4.3	.7	9.3	2	30	1	47	(2)	142
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,673	35,917	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,625	10,899	789	6,005	190	494
Independents.....	3,639	33,639	93.6	91.6	97.4	3,621	10,122	672	5,499	172	481
Chains.....	30	2,151	6.0	8.3	2.5		737	116	486	17	11
Other types.....	4	127	.4	.1	.1	4	40	1	20	1	2
Drug stores with fountain.....	771	29,867	100.0	100.0	(5)	580	4,402	448	3,866	145	4,655
Independents.....	714	21,991	73.6	80.2		580	3,212	252	2,814	79	3,720
Chains.....	57	7,876	26.4	19.8			1,190	196	1,052	66	935
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	231	2,875	100.0	100.0	(5)	208	356	47	297	14	643
Independents.....	230			100.0							
Chains.....		2,875	100.0			208	356	47	297	14	643
Other types.....	1										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	353	5,999	100.0	100.0	---	271	411	50	391	14	965
Independents.....	338	5,668	94.5	98.1	---	270	383	50	363	14	870
Chains.....	15	331	5.5	1.7	---	1	28	---	---	---	95
State liquor stores.....					---						
Other types.....				.2	---						
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	506	3,832	100.0	100.0	100.0	483	881	157	779	78	141
Independents.....	492	2,779	72.5	81.1	71.3	459	643	145	544	66	116
Chains.....	11		16.3	26.7							
Other types.....	3	1,053	27.5	2.6	2.0	4	238	12	235	12	25
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	262	8,833	100.0	100.0	(5)	221	489	78	471	25	777
Independents.....	225	4,884	55.3	62.4		221	265	33	216	9	365
Chains.....	37	3,949	44.7	37.6			224	45	255	16	412
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	119	4,435	100.0	100.0	(5)	87	263	65	265	27	570
Independents.....	102	2,923	65.9	69.7		88	191	80	161	26	360
Chains.....	14		24.8								
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	3	1,512	34.1	4.8		1	72	5	104	1	210
Other types.....			.7								
Jewelry stores.....	217	6,804	100.0	100.0	100.0	160	821	27	972	12	3,519
Independents.....	201			92.5							
Chains.....	16	8,804	100.0	14.3	7.5	160	621	27	972	12	3,519
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	184	2,851	100.0	100.0	100.0	154	294	54	252	14	138
Independents.....	164	1,508	58.9	64.7		150	134	28	97	8	83
Chains.....	13	417	15.7	32.5			78	19	65	5	28
Other types.....	7	726	27.4	7.4	2.8	4	82	7	90	1	27
Florists.....	239	1,329	100.0	100.0	(5)	252	234	58	156	19	58
Independents.....	235			98.2							
Chains.....	4	1,329	100.0	1.8		252	234	58	156	19	58
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	108	711	100.0	100.0	(5)	99	89	11	53	2	55
Independents.....	103			87.4							
Chains.....	5	711	100.0	32.3		99	89	11	53	2	55
Other types.....				.3							
All other kinds of business.....	6,822	80,240	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,323	10,553	1,464	8,846	435	13,865

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

GEORGIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	32,870	\$624,765	100.0	100.0	100.0	28,797	78,947	14,420	\$58,874	\$3,846	\$80,723
Independents.....	30,382	464,404	74.3	75.8	78.5	28,587	56,626	7,941	40,803	2,280	62,855
Single-store.....	28,453	415,576	66.5	68.2	72.9	27,479	49,483	7,018	35,378	2,073	55,589
Multiunit.....	1,589	46,411	7.4	7.1	5.5	790	6,875	872	5,219	191	7,084
Market and roadside stands.....	250	1,010	.2	.3	(1)	244	124	29	52	5	23
Leased departments—Independents.....	90	1,407	.2	.2	.1	74	144	22	154	11	179
Chains.....	2,077	150,793	24.2	22.7	17.6	62	20,737	6,296	16,374	1,508	16,820
Local chains.....	359	16,135	2.6	1.3	3.0	34	2,398	613	1,555	143	2,108
Sectional or national chains.....	1,465	123,066	19.7	20.6	13.3	27	16,857	5,502	13,051	1,309	13,222
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	134	8,763	1.4	.4	.7	---	1,029	56	1,392	19	1,195
Leased-department chains.....	119	2,829	.5	.4	.6	1	453	125	376	37	285
Other types.....	411	9,588	1.5	1.5	3.9	148	1,584	183	1,697	58	1,048
Utility-operated stores.....	114	3,592	.6	.7	.5	---	465	27	733	23	548
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	96	1,831	.3	.3	.2	67	578	49	525	15	102
Commissaries or company stores.....	111	2,143	.3	.3	.1	39	225	37	209	6	223
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	35	800	.1	(1)	.1	---	159	42	89	6	31
Other types of operation.....	55	1,202	.2	.2	3.0	42	157	28	141	8	144
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	6,721	41,824	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,021	3,272	1,270	1,655	228	3,546
Independents.....	6,311	30,471	72.9	75.0	68.0	5,964	1,957	580	790	91	2,753
Chains.....	311	10,799	25.8	24.2	30.8	4	1,257	670	843	134	768
Other types.....	99	554	1.3	.8	1.2	53	58	20	22	3	24
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,770	85,334	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,403	8,880	2,584	5,270	510	5,259
Independents.....	3,407	54,840	64.3	62.3	64.0	3,387	5,745	1,073	2,898	179	3,886
Chains.....	349	30,392	35.6	37.3	35.0	1	3,123	1,507	2,364	330	1,367
Other types.....	14	102	.1	.4	1.0	15	12	4	8	1	6
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	194	2,710	100.0	(2)	(2)	121	657	82	389	18	53
Independents.....	121	1,857	68.5	(2)	(2)	119	445	51	277	14	44
Chains.....	52	282	10.4			2	85	4	39	(3)	---
Other types.....	21	571	21.1			---	127	27	73	4	9
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	467	1,440	100.0	100.0	(2)	448	201	57	79	10	54
Independents.....	449	1,259	87.4	85.2		442	144	41	53	7	45
Chains.....	10	129	9.0	10.9		---	38	1	21	(3)	6
Other types.....	8	52	3.6	3.9		6	19	15	5	3	3
Department stores.....	61	58,629	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	7,577	1,360	7,521	868	8,408
Independents.....	22	25,688	43.8	47.6	51.8	18	4,067	726	4,106	684	3,212
Chains.....	39	32,941	56.2	52.4	48.2	5	3,510	634	3,415	184	5,196
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	380	19,514	100.0	100.0	100.0	164	4,716	2,387	2,053	456	3,230
Independents.....	189	2,514	12.9	13.7	12.4	157	577	269	203	33	721
Chains.....	191	17,000	87.1	86.3	87.6	7	4,139	2,118	1,850	423	2,509
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	202	9,489	100.0	100.0	100.0	149	944	108	1,148	31	2,507
Independents.....	175	7,588	80.0	82.8	83.1	149	790	96	933	24	2,242
Chains.....	27	1,901	20.0	14.5	10.6	---	154	12	195	7	265
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.7	1.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	272	9,521	100.0	100.0	100.0	258	1,317	445	892	83	2,953
Independents.....	253	8,227	86.4	84.9	72.1	255	1,129	391	722	72	2,764
Chains.....	19	1,294	13.6	15.0	27.9	3	188	54	170	11	189
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	317	12,640	100.0	100.0	100.0	231	1,759	219	1,547	105	1,578
Independents.....	257	7,408	58.6	67.7	59.4	231	1,057	109	919	28	1,170
Chains.....	60	5,232	41.4	32.3	40.6	---	702	110	628	77	408
Other types.....	---	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	209	7,827	100.0	100.0	100.0	91	1,032	294	1,024	70	1,730
Independents.....	119	3,627	46.3	41.1	43.2	88	485	55	551	14	1,081
Chains.....	56	3,129	40.0	38.7		---	415	196	328	44	402
Leased departments.....	34	1,071	13.7	20.0	56.8	3	132	43	145	12	247
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	453	20,738	100.0	100.0	100.0	355	2,882	90	3,200	27	3,395
Independents.....	411	14,351	69.2	70.2	71.2	352	2,041	83	2,164	25	2,685
Chains.....	42	6,387	30.8	29.6	26.1	3	841	7	1,036	2	710
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	2.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	184	5,580	100.0	(2)	(2)	35	866	40	1,158	25	839
Independents.....	48	1,239	22.2			35	207	13	188	2	143
Chains.....	22	749	13.4			---	194	---	239	---	148
Utility-operated stores.....	114	3,592	64.4			---	465	27	733	23	548
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	55	1,209	100.0	(2)	(2)	51	132	14	117	7	169
Independents.....	54	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	1,209	100.0			51	132	14	117	7	169
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	30	636	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	73	2	83	1	114
Independents.....	29	---	---	83.0	78.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	636	100.0	---	21.1	27	73	2	83	1	114
Other types.....	---	---	---	17.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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RETAIL TRADE:1939

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

GEORGIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	535	\$81,381	100.0	100.0	(2)	397	5,837	82	\$6,675	\$45	\$7,057
Independents.....	530	78,670	96.7	98.1		396	5,759	81	6,541	44	6,955
Chains.....	5	2,711	3.3	1.9		1	78	1	134	1	102
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	274	8,828	100.0	100.0	(2)	190	1,107	57	1,215	20	1,253
Independents.....	199	4,756	53.9	46.5		188	625	35	609	11	792
Chains.....	75	4,072	46.1	53.5		2	482	22	606	9	461
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	5,054	49,350	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,681	5,435	506	3,216	123	1,679
Independents.....	4,899	45,839	92.9	88.1	67.6	4,677	4,969	492	2,794	116	1,577
Chains.....	152	3,400	6.9	11.9	30.3	3	460	14	414	7	100
Other types.....	3	111	.2	—	2.1	1	6	—	8	—	2
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	286	18,267	100.0	100.0	(2)	206	2,399	427	2,015	153	3,099
Independents.....	282	15,978	87.5	98.0		206	2,142	299	1,854	106	2,511
Chains.....	4	2,289	12.5	2.0		—	257	128	161	47	588
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	49	1,633	100.0	100.0	(2)	21	180	4	263	1	428
Independents.....	34	887	54.3	64.7		21	107	3	130	(3)	200
Chains.....	15	746	45.7	35.3		—	73	1	133	1	228
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	387	12,274	100.0	100.0	100.0	347	1,044	81	1,005	23	4,218
Independents.....	371	10,945	89.2	97.8	81.0	345	936	63	868	14	3,929
Chains.....	16	1,329	10.8	1.9		2	108	18	137	9	289
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	19.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,675	24,177	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,458	7,818	748	3,328	180	251
Independents.....	3,589	21,387	88.5	84.2	92.2	3,448	6,904	587	2,756	102	224
Chains.....	80	2,687	11.1	15.5	6.9	7	890	153	560	56	26
Other types.....	6	103	.4	.3	.9	3	24	8	12	2	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	867	22,846	100.0	100.0	(2)	758	4,077	354	2,733	79	3,883
Independents.....	806	18,127	79.3	80.7		758	3,262	333	2,093	72	3,471
Chains.....	61	4,719	20.7	18.8		2	815	21	640	7	412
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	242	2,694	100.0	100.0	(2)	223	412	57	293	15	597
Independents.....	239	2,547	94.5	89.0		223	401	56	279	14	588
Chains.....	2	147	5.5	9.4		—	11	1	14	1	9
Other types.....	1	—	—	1.8		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	480	6,982	100.0	100.0	—	338	533	46	421	13	905
Independents.....	458	6,808	97.5	100.0	—	335	510	46	401	15	878
Chains.....	22	174	2.5	—	—	3	23	—	20	—	27
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	763	8,650	100.0	100.0	100.0	613	2,073	378	1,309	109	843
Independents.....	708	5,279	61.0	70.1	48.4	613	1,272	244	742	59	484
Chains.....	57	3,371	39.0	29.3	51.2	—	801	134	567	50	359
Other types.....	—	—	—	.6	2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	262	7,309	100.0	100.0	(2)	193	623	191	410	35	597
Independents.....	201	5,332	73.0	—		193	406	75	282	19	487
Chains.....	61	1,977	27.0	—		—	217	116	128	16	120
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	376	8,066	100.0	100.0	(2)	347	612	161	492	60	648
Independents.....	365	6,481	80.3	94.2		346	471	142	327	56	550
Chains.....	4	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	5	1,585	19.7	.5		1	141	19	165	4	98
Other types.....	2	—	—	5.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	197	5,571	100.0	100.0	100.0	159	781	53	935	21	2,039
Independents.....	185	4,625	83.0	95.1	92.7	159	602	53	752	21	1,875
Chains.....	12	946	17.0	4.9	7.3	—	179	—	183	—	164
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	48	938	100.0	100.0	100.0	30	122	18	89	4	67
Independents.....	33	568	60.6	57.4	60.8	30	61	5	49	1	36
Chains.....	15	370	39.4	42.6	39.1	—	61	13	40	3	31
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	172	1,582	100.0	100.0	(2)	157	385	49	273	12	131
Independents.....	172	1,582	100.0	100.0		157	385	49	273	12	131
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	35	273	100.0	100.0	(2)	37	73	9	22	1	4
Independents.....	34	—	—	60.9		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	273	100.0	39.1		37	73	9	22	1	4
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	5,853	86,853	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,265	11,128	2,247	8,044	533	19,199

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
 1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
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 3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

IDAHO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,804	\$175,873	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,223	16,549	3,399	\$18,189	\$1,107	\$23,970
Independents.....	6,114	134,684	76.6	78.4	77.9	6,181	12,189	2,126	11,970	737	17,627
Single-store.....	5,750	121,152	68.9	67.4	69.2	8,013	10,721	1,855	10,412	858	15,895
Multiunit.....	322	13,069	7.4	8.6	8.7	130	1,422	259	1,529	74	1,907
Market and roadside stands.....	13	68	.1	.1	---	10	10	4	5	1	2
Leased departments—-independent.....	29	375	.2	.3	---	28	36	8	24	4	23
Chains.....	427	34,401	19.5	20.6	20.8	6	3,821	1,144	3,709	322	5,899
Local chains.....	28	1,528	.9	.5	5.1	2	187	34	196	8	321
Sectional or national chains.....	379	31,906	18.1	19.7	15.4	4	3,524	1,105	3,349	311	5,228
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	15	955	.5	.3	.2	---	103	3	158	2	143
Leased-department chains.....	5	32	(1)	.3	.1	---	7	2	6	1	7
Other types.....	263	6,808	3.9	3.0	1.3	38	539	129	510	48	644
Utility-operated stores.....	52	856	.5	.6	.9	3	140	83	105	35	185
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	33	158	.1	.1	.1	33	39	13	44	4	11
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	452	.2	.3	.1	---	43	10	49	2	70
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	53	1,720	1.0	.4	.2	---	117	18	119	8	127
Other types of operation.....	122	3,622	2.1	1.6	(1)	---	200	5	193	1	251
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	532	10,932	100.0	100.0	100.0	503	581	174	487	49	969
Independents.....	502	9,328	85.3	67.6	71.2	502	471	137	378	39	828
Chains.....	25	1,481	13.6	32.4	28.8	---	102	36	100	10	133
Other types.....	5	123	1.1	---	---	1	8	1	9	(2)	8
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	598	21,898	100.0	100.0	100.0	589	1,284	407	1,148	100	1,405
Independents.....	556	18,045	74.0	72.0	68.7	588	908	248	770	64	1,117
Chains.....	42	5,653	26.0	27.0	31.3	1	376	159	378	36	288
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	35	637	100.0	(5)	(3)	41	72	5	87	1	1
Independents.....	34	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	637	100.0	---	---	41	72	5	67	1	1
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	98	599	100.0	100.0	(3)	99	75	28	37	9	31
Independents.....	98	599	100.0	100.0	---	99	75	28	37	9	31
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	43	13,060	100.0	100.0	100.0	5	1,702	390	1,680	121	2,483
Independents.....	9	2,855	21.9	33.8	28.3	5	494	111	511	29	888
Chains.....	34	10,205	78.1	66.2	71.7	---	1,208	279	1,169	92	1,785
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	67	3,248	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	772	422	419	95	564
Independents.....	44	830	25.6	20.0	35.1	41	150	82	83	16	208
Chains.....	23	2,418	74.4	80.0	64.9	---	622	360	336	79	358
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	56	1,869	100.0	100.0	100.0	44	135	17	229	7	787
Independents.....	45	1,218	65.2	56.9	79.9	44	85	16	124	7	459
Chains.....	11	650	34.8	43.1	20.1	---	50	1	105	(2)	328
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	19	663	100.0	100.0	100.0	9	88	26	89	13	241
Independents.....	17	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	663	100.0	100.0	---	9	88	26	89	13	241
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	110	2,180	100.0	100.0	100.0	97	277	70	218	20	374
Independents.....	98	1,888	86.6	86.2	73.1	97	224	59	172	16	348
Chains.....	12	292	13.4	13.8	26.9	---	53	11	46	4	28
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	37	1,020	100.0	100.0	100.0	33	75	19	77	6	288
Independents.....	33	953	93.4	86.3	94.0	32	67	16	69	6	260
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Leased departments.....	2	87	6.6	10.2	---	1	8	3	8	(2)	28
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	87	3,372	100.0	100.0	100.0	70	308	25	454	17	982
Independents.....	87	3,372	100.0	100.0	78.2	70	308	25	454	17	982
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	21.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	80	1,368	100.0	(5)	(3)	31	204	84	211	35	246
Independents.....	27	397	29.0	---	---	31	31	5	39	3	53
Chains.....	6	236	17.3	---	---	---	46	---	81	---	46
Utility-operated stores.....	47	735	53.7	---	---	---	127	79	91	32	147
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents:"										
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	39	889	100.0	(3)	(3)	37	106	23	111	12	141
Independents.....	37	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	889	100.0	---	---	37	106	23	111	12	141
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	12	157	100.0	100.0	100.0	9	24	4	28	1	35
Independents.....	12	157	100.0	100.0	---	9	24	4	28	1	35
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

IDAHO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	234	\$28,364	100.0	100.0	(3)	212	2,079	91	\$2,773	\$39	\$2,825
Independents.....	234	28,364	100.0	99.7		212	2,079	91	2,773	39	2,825
Chains.....	—	—	—	.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	82	2,171	100.0	100.0	(3)	84	189	13	218	5	325
Independents.....	70	2,171	100.0	50.5		84	189	13	218	5	325
Chains.....	12	—	—	49.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	1,361	16,443	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,298	988	206	865	73	641
Independents.....	1,281	14,110	85.8	91.4	85.7	1,294	800	188	651	64	501
Chains.....	36	883	5.4	7.5	14.3	—	92	6	116	4	38
Other types.....	44	1,450	8.8	1.1	—	4	96	12	98	5	102
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	175	8,447	100.0	100.0	(3)	75	817	145	774	57	1,754
Independents.....	93	4,078	48.3	42.7		75	297	50	389	22	773
Chains.....	82	4,369	51.7	57.3		—	320	95	385	35	981
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	14	402	100.0	100.0	(3)	9	38	2	43	2	91
Independents.....	8	135	33.6	75.5		9	11	1	10	1	33
Chains.....	8	267	66.4	24.5		—	27	1	33	1	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	132	4,005	100.0	100.0	100.0	127	309	46	357	17	1,357
Independents.....	125	4,005	100.0	95.0	90.8	127	309	46	357	17	1,357
Chains.....	7	—	—	5.0	3.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	5.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	628	6,954	100.0	100.0	100.0	683	1,882	290	1,205	79	112
Independents.....	620	6,806	98.2	99.7	100.0	682	1,819	268	1,174	77	110
Chains.....	8	128	1.8	.2	—	1	63	22	31	2	2
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	147	4,083	100.0	100.0	(3)	124	447	59	440	20	1,016
Independents.....	141	4,063	100.0	100.0		124	447	59	440	20	1,016
Chains.....	8	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	64	1,608	100.0	100.0	(3)	56	120	22	152	9	450
Independents.....	63	1,608	100.0	100.0		56	120	22	152	9	450
Chains.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	128	3,898	100.0	100.0	—	5	214	5	205	1	253
Independents.....	4	76	2.1	4.7	—	5	14	—	12	—	2
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	122	3,622	97.9	95.3	—	—	200	5	193	1	251
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	163	2,509	100.0	100.0	100.0	148	314	107	316	54	246
Independents.....	158	2,509	100.0	94.0	88.4	148	314	107	316	54	246
Chains.....	4	—	—	5.8	11.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	63	2,045	100.0	100.0	(3)	50	142	22	150	9	267
Independents.....	61	2,045	100.0	100.0		50	142	22	150	9	267
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	11	998	100.0	100.0	(3)	8	80	9	111	4	138
Independents.....	11	998	100.0	100.0		6	80	9	111	4	138
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperatives stores.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	77	1,128	100.0	100.0	100.0	78	88	11	118	2	643
Independents.....	73	1,128	100.0	91.2	89.0	78	86	11	118	2	643
Chains.....	4	—	—	8.8	11.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	45	976	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	149	10	159	3	58
Independents.....	32	976	100.0	100.0	86.4	40	149	10	159	3	58
Chains.....	13	—	—	—	13.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	38	383	100.0	100.0	(3)	38	67	11	75	5	22
Independents.....	38	383	100.0	100.0		38	67	11	75	5	22
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	17	91	100.0	100.0	(3)	18	9	3	5	(2)	6
Independents.....	17	91	100.0	100.0		18	9	3	5	(2)	6
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	1,814	29,939	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,586	3,118	853	2,988	242	5,219

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

ILLINOIS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	109,152	\$2,857,846	100.0	100.0	100.0	100,099	352,005	67,756	\$359,072	\$27,106	\$557,896
Independents.....	99,739	1,877,740	65.7	61.6	70.9	99,623	210,975	55,582	215,664	14,785	257,522
Single-store.....	94,576	1,596,282	55.6	52.1	61.7	96,795	175,000	50,402	173,144	12,588	199,202
Multiunit.....	4,455	275,029	9.6	9.5	9.1	2,155	34,854	4,850	41,600	2,291	57,592
Market and roadside stands.....	402	1,775	.1	.1	—	407	510	105	216	30	110
Leased departments—Independent.....	506	6,674	.2	.1	.1	266	629	247	704	78	618
Chains.....	8,886	950,048	32.5	36.6	23.6	240	115,636	31,219	114,555	11,696	94,626
Local chains.....	2,056	222,505	7.8	6.6	9.0	180	28,976	6,740	32,525	5,111	19,252
Sectional or national chains.....	5,687	652,220	22.6	28.9	15.4	48	78,199	23,668	73,924	6,456	69,182
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	591	59,732	1.4	.4	1.2	2	4,885	538	6,422	174	4,950
Leased-department chains.....	582	15,789	.5	.5	.2	10	2,076	575	1,884	175	1,442
Other types.....	727	49,690	1.6	1.6	5.5	256	7,194	955	6,653	425	5,550
Utility-operated stores.....	255	15,143	.5	.5	.3	10	2,024	154	3,157	100	1,801
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	200	10,589	.4	.4	.2	153	2,928	572	2,984	249	928
Commissaries or company stores.....	8	170	(*)	(*)	—	4	48	16	27	7	12
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	160	8,009	.3	.2	.1	—	757	155	606	54	781
Other types of operation.....	108	18,149	.6	.7	4.7	69	1,437	58	1,697	55	2,028
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	9,627	126,423	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,257	9,225	3,477	7,951	1,232	9,417
Independents.....	8,171	58,478	46.3	57.4	53.7	6,250	3,426	922	2,582	276	5,919
Chains.....	1,645	67,629	53.5	62.5	62.4	3	5,737	2,551	5,327	955	3,474
Other types.....	15	516	.2	.1	5.9	4	62	4	62	1	24
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	11,925	309,287	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,214	25,719	7,400	22,564	2,449	19,880
Independents.....	10,647	177,855	57.5	60.8	60.6	11,197	13,848	2,986	11,672	768	13,797
Chains.....	1,257	130,591	42.2	59.1	15.0	14	11,777	4,590	10,796	1,676	6,053
Other types.....	21	661	.5	.1	4.4	3	96	24	96	5	40
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	1,067	59,451	100.0	(*)	(*)	882	8,014	470	17,506	187	594
Independents.....	917	25,525	40.2	—	—	875	5,301	259	5,284	107	265
Chains.....	170	34,926	59.8	—	—	7	4,713	211	12,022	80	129
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	3,417	17,580	100.0	100.0	(*)	3,147	2,621	758	1,846	251	615
Independents.....	3,167	12,746	72.5	88.1	—	3,137	1,460	384	670	119	536
Chains.....	243	4,759	27.0	21.5	—	5	1,145	587	786	132	77
Other types.....	7	95	.5	10.6	—	5	16	5	10	(*)	2
Department stores.....	244	499,659	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	64,641	11,197	67,619	5,266	68,572
Independents.....	85	164,305	52.9	59.4	54.6	28	27,560	3,713	30,484	1,773	23,456
Chains and mail-order.....	159	335,554	67.1	60.6	45.4	—	37,261	7,484	57,135	3,513	45,136
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	902	58,214	100.0	100.0	100.0	495	15,284	7,012	7,697	2,258	7,808
Independents.....	514	5,693	9.6	6.2	9.9	485	1,064	382	500	72	1,536
Chains.....	388	52,551	90.2	93.8	90.0	10	12,220	6,630	7,197	2,166	6,072
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	1,501	50,938	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,240	4,440	659	6,108	375	14,653
Independents.....	1,346	40,052	78.6	70.6	68.5	1,234	3,552	680	4,885	510	12,602
Chains.....	149	10,354	20.3	24.1	30.6	2	856	179	1,182	65	1,605
Other types.....	6	552	1.1	5.1	.7	4	32	—	41	—	48
Family clothing stores.....	499	38,255	100.0	100.0	100.0	568	5,126	1,289	5,650	585	7,439
Independents.....	413	26,437	69.1	55.6	76.6	566	3,441	624	4,266	356	5,733
Chains.....	86	11,818	30.9	44.2	23.4	2	1,685	445	1,584	227	1,706
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,888	68,488	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,455	9,313	2,428	8,692	909	8,501
Independents.....	1,570	42,095	61.5	57.6	71.2	1,442	5,915	1,208	6,110	559	6,467
Chains.....	512	26,189	38.2	42.4	26.9	12	3,588	1,220	2,748	370	2,019
Other types.....	6	204	.5	—	1.9	1	30	—	37	—	15
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	1,558	44,215	100.0	100.0	100.0	904	5,061	1,909	5,076	665	10,858
Independents.....	1,001	17,128	38.7	56.5	47.3	881	1,646	555	1,819	119	6,073
Chains.....	445	23,647	53.5	55.6	49.0	10	2,980	1,595	2,848	500	4,108
Leased departments.....	112	5,440	7.6	7.9	—	13	455	161	409	44	679
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	5.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	1,050	55,381	100.0	100.0	100.0	690	5,160	452	7,739	194	12,553
Independents.....	966	44,684	80.7	71.8	68.0	888	4,189	342	6,306	157	10,595
Chains.....	84	10,697	19.5	26.2	51.0	2	971	90	1,433	37	1,760
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	615	21,657	100.0	(*)	(*)	509	5,428	555	4,959	276	5,095
Independents.....	297	5,016	23.2	—	—	300	600	106	646	62	782
Chains.....	77	3,266	15.1	—	—	1	723	12	1,021	4	568
Utility-operated stores.....	232	12,677	58.5	—	—	1	1,942	119	5,072	76	1,726
Other types.....	9	698	3.2	—	—	7	163	118	220	152	19
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	410	12,097	100.0	(*)	(*)	410	975	162	1,225	89	1,711
Independents.....	388	10,698	88.5	—	—	404	875	129	1,094	68	1,512
Chains.....	14	1,056	8.7	—	—	5	43	—	62	—	160
Other types.....	8	343	2.8	—	—	5	57	55	59	21	39
Radio stores—other.....	194	2,788	100.0	100.0	100.0	188	277	25	559	9	469
Independents.....	192	2,788	100.0	94.9	61.6	188	277	25	559	9	469
Chains.....	2	—	—	—	50.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	5.1	6.1	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

ILLINOIS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	2,092	\$308,128	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,947	19,133	447	\$26,572	\$231	\$27,719
Independents.....	2,054	291,130	94.5	90.8		1,944	18,175	447	24,797	231	26,584
Chains.....	38	16,996	5.5	9.4		3	958	—	1,775	—	1,135
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	1,024	28,546	100.0	100.0	(3)	612	2,953	153	3,800	86	3,931
Independents.....	761	14,404	54.3	50.2		608	1,583	109	1,987	44	2,416
Chains.....	243	12,142	45.7	49.8		4	1,370	44	1,813	22	1,515
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Filling stations.....	12,097	158,158	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,981	13,408	2,478	12,091	904	5,326
Independents.....	11,500	136,891	86.5	72.5	62.8	11,942	11,060	2,221	9,674	827	4,567
Chains.....	544	18,609	11.8	28.7	34.5	36	2,065	232	2,061	70	544
Other types.....	53	2,658	1.7	.8	2.7	3	283	25	356	7	217
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	1,440	95,573	100.0	100.0	(3)	759	7,591	1,226	10,682	760	20,490
Independents.....	1,079	69,058	73.8	70.1		753	5,649	893	6,122	632	14,948
Chains.....	356	24,207	25.9	29.6		6	1,912	352	2,551	127	5,449
Other types.....	5	310	.3	.1		—	30	1	29	1	95
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	693	11,854	100.0	100.0	(3)	593	1,154	147	1,449	118	2,967
Independents.....	658	10,079	85.2	86.2		589	971	157	1,198	112	2,603
Chains.....	55	1,755	14.8	15.8		4	183	10	251	4	364
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Hardware stores.....	2,151	34,977	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,208	3,280	562	3,877	185	12,627
Independents.....	2,127	33,421	95.6	96.8	97.0	2,201	3,104	555	3,494	183	12,474
Chains.....	18	1,481	4.2	3.4		2	167	5	174	1	323
Other types.....	6	75	.2	—	3.0	5	9	2	9	1	30
Restaurants, other eating places.....	9,517	130,453	100.0	100.0	100.0	9,322	41,324	6,553	28,011	1,958	1,728
Independents.....	6,921	101,988	76.2	74.4	61.5	9,300	32,353	4,286	21,518	1,860	1,373
Chains.....	378	27,844	21.3	25.4	16.3	16	6,787	2,030	6,527	568	352
Other types.....	18	621	.5	.2	.2	6	204	37	166	10	3
Drug stores with fountain.....	2,781	94,542	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,155	12,994	3,306	11,890	1,264	14,929
Independents.....	2,429	57,770	61.1	54.5		2,150	7,433	1,684	6,643	640	11,529
Chains.....	352	36,772	38.9	45.5		5	5,561	1,642	5,237	624	3,400
Other types.....	—	—	(a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	912	14,752	100.0	100.0	(3)	627	1,454	276	1,583	105	4,105
Independents.....	892	13,180	69.3	84.6		623	1,308	263	1,415	99	3,977
Chains.....	16	1,564	10.6	15.1		—	145	13	168	6	125
Other types.....	4	6	.1	.3		4	1	—	(*)	—	3
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	837	22,302	100.0	100.0	—	642	1,599	182	1,750	79	2,857
Independents.....	774	19,671	86.2	91.3	—	635	1,587	181	1,489	79	2,540
Chains.....	63	2,631	11.8	8.7	—	7	212	1	261	(*)	317
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	2,548	93,055	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,287	9,396	2,490	12,259	1,651	7,237
Independents.....	2,457	81,251	87.3	82.2	81.5	2,285	8,390	2,330	11,078	1,529	5,942
Chains.....	68	11,699	12.6	17.6	18.5	2	996	157	1,169	121	1,284
Other types.....	3	105	.1	.2		—	12	3	12	1	11
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	709	15,475	100.0	100.0	(3)	684	1,025	241	859	105	1,612
Independents.....	663	12,399	60.1	76.9		674	608	164	671	70	1,267
Chains.....	24	1,397	9.0	15.6		10	117	50	100	29	180
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	22	1,679	10.9	9.5		—	100	27	86	6	165
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	176	5,051	100.0	100.0	(3)	150	535	159	520	72	1,145
Independents.....	159	3,410	67.5	75.3		141	426	127	411	57	956
Chains.....	5	1,587	31.4	24.4		—	95	21	101	11	185
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	26	54	1.1	.3		9	14	11	6	4	4
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	924	21,645	100.0	100.0	100.0	682	1,940	221	3,058	114	10,063
Independents.....	883	20,198	93.3	92.7	92.3	661	1,760	215	2,804	111	9,806
Chains.....	36	1,447	6.7	6.9	7.5	1	160	6	254	3	462
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	1,079	14,693	100.0	100.0	100.0	867	1,275	228	1,355	70	1,126
Independents.....	862	7,207	49.1	43.5	65.0	864	605	140	528	47	460
Chains.....	217	7,486	50.9	56.4	35.9	3	670	68	809	23	658
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Florists.....	1,098	10,603	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,098	1,569	304	1,612	135	507
Independents.....	1,090	10,603	100.0	100.0		1,098	1,569	304	1,612	135	507
Chains.....	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	707	4,683	100.0	100.0	(3)	637	935	551	354	93	142
Independents.....	676	3,932	84.3	87.0		635	801	512	255	64	102
Chains.....	31	751	15.7	13.3		2	154	39	79	9	40
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	33,432	433,769	100.0	100.0	100.0	32,523	52,952	10,665	52,609	4,479	53,613

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Five mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

CHICAGO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	47,632	\$1,514,829	100.0	100.0	100.0	41,783	164,449	53,889	\$204,193	\$15,945	\$166,418
Independents.....	43,409	885,479	57.1	53.6	(1)	41,597	105,506	16,077	119,235	7,951	99,760
Single-store.....	41,114	691,610	45.8	43.1		40,396	82,541	13,282	90,018	6,285	76,839
Multiunit.....	1,903	188,814	11.1	10.4		858	22,237	2,586	28,812	1,600	22,732
Market and roadside stands.....	248	1,178	.1	(2)		245	188	64	138	12	94
Leased departments—-independent.....	144	4,079	.3	.1		120	540	185	467	54	295
Chains.....	4,285	819,135	40.9	44.4	(1)	117	74,718	17,282	79,645	7,741	63,555
Local chains.....	1,255	174,284	11.5	10.1		102	22,504	4,926	25,763	2,475	15,820
Sectional or national chains.....	2,571	408,791	27.0	33.2		8	47,990	11,822	48,528	5,058	45,520
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	311	25,657	1.7	.6		1	2,977	385	4,184	120	3,148
Leased-department chains.....	148	10,421	.7	.5		8	1,245	349	1,172	110	845
Other types.....	138	30,217	2.0	2.0	(1)	89	4,227	530	5,313	253	3,323
Utility-operated stores.....	17	5,684	.4	.3		4	1,057	1	1,551	(4)	601
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	85	7,013	.5	.6		53	1,786	474	1,937	218	752
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	81	(2)	(2)		---	30	18	16	7	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	8	168	(2)	(2)		---	29	8	23	2	7
Other types of operation.....	47	17,271	1.1	1.1		32	1,325	33	1,766	28	1,983
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,757	70,715	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,741	4,969	1,803	4,879	765	4,852
Independents.....	4,788	32,016	45.3	35.6	31.2	4,758	1,753	397	1,491	153	2,744
Chains.....	989	38,697	54.7	64.4	68.5	3	3,236	1,406	3,186	612	1,908
Other types.....	Three stores cmbd with "Independents." (2) .3										
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,574	94,437	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,244	6,171	2,255	7,800	999	5,151
Independents.....	3,169	40,587	43.0	50.1	91.4	3,243	3,058	583	3,085	199	2,400
Chains.....	402	53,754	58.9	49.8	8.8	1	5,099	1,687	4,705	798	2,748
Other types.....	3	116	.1	.1	---	---	14	5	12	2	5
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	310	31,807	100.0	(1)	(1)	246	4,173	37	10,978	19	149
Independents.....	271	6,300	19.6	---	---	246	612	17	1,614	6	100
Chains.....	39	25,507	80.2	---	---	---	3,561	20	9,164	11	49
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	2,288	10,735	100.0	100.0	(1)	2,038	1,553	430	1,041	155	305
Independents.....	2,091	6,920	84.5	54.6	---	2,035	623	144	419	49	240
Chains.....	195	3,815	35.5	29.0	---	3	930	288	822	106	85
Other types.....	---	---	---	18.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	58	406,325	100.0	100.0	(1)	17	51,216	7,121	55,368	4,021	55,351
Independents.....	32	133,154	32.6	39.0	---	17	22,359	2,584	25,303	1,384	18,456
Chains and mail-order.....	28	273,171	67.2	81.0	---	---	28,657	4,557	30,063	2,637	36,695
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	333	28,987	100.0	100.0	100.0	140	5,871	2,954	3,840	1,144	3,109
Independents.....	161	1,064	3.9	1.6	8.2	137	165	58	116	12	280
Chains.....	172	25,903	96.1	98.4	93.8	3	5,706	2,918	3,724	1,132	2,829
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	781	28,612	100.0	100.0	100.0	566	2,539	445	3,694	244	7,008
Independents.....	667	20,038	70.0	55.4	58.1	561	1,670	324	2,939	196	5,702
Chains.....	109	8,037	28.1	35.8	41.2	2	637	119	914	46	1,258
Other types.....	5	537	1.9	8.6	.7	3	32	---	41	---	48
Family clothing stores.....	172	23,315	100.0	100.0	100.0	129	3,027	709	3,917	418	3,772
Independents.....	161	17,448	74.8	47.1	83.4	129	2,182	496	3,043	255	2,976
Chains.....	11	5,867	25.2	52.9	16.8	---	845	213	674	185	794
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents." (2) ---										
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,028	44,527	100.0	100.0	100.0	757	5,793	1,459	8,150	628	4,971
Independents.....	848	25,047	58.3	57.8	71.7	748	3,444	825	4,123	355	3,493
Chains.....	178	19,480	43.7	42.4	27.9	9	2,349	834	2,027	275	1,478
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents." .4										
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	764	28,562	100.0	100.0	100.0	362	3,091	1,215	3,209	479	5,724
Independents.....	464	7,918	29.8	26.1	37.7	374	806	154	912	85	2,596
Chains.....	275	17,892	68.6	69.7	59.6	4	2,171	1,023	2,171	403	2,876
Leased departments.....	25	952	3.6	4.2	---	4	114	58	126	11	252
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents." 2.7										
Furniture stores.....	420	28,446	100.0	100.0	100.0	272	2,528	229	4,064	122	5,665
Independents.....	380	20,104	70.7	59.7	58.5	272	1,827	152	3,030	88	4,427
Chains.....	40	8,342	29.3	40.3	41.2	---	701	77	1,054	34	1,238
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents." .3										
Household appliance dealers.....	122	9,515	100.0	(1)	(1)	83	1,683	168	2,418	184	1,080
Independents.....	64	1,955	20.6	---	---	80	227	45	281	32	254
Chains.....	22	1,363	14.3	---	---	---	278	4	425	(4)	220
Utility-operated stores.....	13	5,575	58.8	---	---	1	1,033	1	1,520	(4)	595
Other types.....	3	822	6.5	---	---	2	147	118	212	152	11
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	138	8,555	100.0	(1)	(1)	105	388	53	592	35	784
Independents.....	122	5,509	84.0	---	---	103	344	52	509	34	823
Chains.....	13	1,046	16.0	---	---	2	44	1	83	1	181
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	78	1,341	100.0	100.0	100.0	66	112	11	159	4	203
Independents.....	75	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	1,341	100.0	91.6	47.2	68	112	11	159	4	203
Other types.....	---	---	---	8.4	11.7	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

CHICAGO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	297	\$111,358	100.0	100.0	(1)	130	8,101	50	\$10,179	\$46	\$8,115
Independents.....	275	98,137	88.1	80.4		128	5,368	50	8,784	46	7,330
Chains.....	22	13,221	11.9	19.6		2	733	---	1,395	---	785
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	219	8,605	100.0	100.0	(1)	142	1,020	29	1,514	16	1,235
Independents.....	162	4,966	57.7	53.9		142	561	24	887	14	684
Chains.....	57	3,639	42.3	46.1		---	459	5	627	2	551
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	2,161	47,069	100.0	100.0		2,056	4,405	592	4,486	254	1,190
Independents.....	1,971	38,143	81.0	67.4	63.6	2,056	3,390	475	3,469	218	966
Chains.....	190	8,928	19.0	32.6	36.4	20	1,015	117	1,017	36	224
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	186	22,484	100.0	100.0	(1)	58	1,745	149	3,054	153	3,898
Independents.....	155	14,903	66.3	66.9		58	1,243	133	2,237	127	2,811
Chains.....	31	7,581	33.7	33.1		---	502	16	817	26	1,087
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	330	5,777	100.0	100.0	(1)	272	503	44	891	28	1,320
Independents.....	317	5,359	92.8	92.1		268	465	44	640	28	1,250
Chains.....	13	418	7.2	7.9		4	38	---	51	---	90
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	878	10,655	100.0	100.0	100.0	854	882	74	1,153	43	3,850
Independents.....	873	10,818	99.7	90.5	95.9	851	878	74	1,148	43	3,833
Chains.....	1	37	.3	9.5	4.1	3	4	---	5	---	17
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	4,193	85,830	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,968	26,776	3,925	19,921	1,290	1,082
Independents.....	3,882	59,652	89.5	65.7	76.3	3,958	18,701	2,155	13,946	760	759
Chains.....	302	25,733	30.0	34.2	23.7	10	7,939	1,754	5,841	523	322
Other types.....	9	445	.5	.1	(2)	---	138	16	134	7	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	1,558	58,847	100.0	100.0	(1)	1,103	7,928	2,261	7,808	907	7,604
Independents.....	1,328	31,791	55.9	46.6		1,101	4,141	974	3,946	411	5,314
Chains.....	230	25,058	44.1	53.4		2	3,787	1,287	3,862	496	2,290
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	345	5,292	100.0	100.0	(1)	287	588	123	684	52	1,217
Independents.....	338	4,719	89.2			287	529	123	614	52	1,158
Chains.....	7	573	10.8	99.2		---	59	---	70	---	59
Other types.....	---	---	---	.8		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	607	18,852	100.0	100.0	---	455	1,258	143	1,381	65	2,106
Independents.....	562	14,845	88.1	87.8	---	449	1,095	142	1,178	65	1,884
Chains.....	45	2,007	11.9	12.1	---	6	183	1	203	(4)	222
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	1,243	83,833	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,036	8,237	1,834	8,525	1,219	4,788
Independents.....	1,188	53,867	84.4	79.1	78.1	1,035	5,402	1,698	7,555	1,116	3,740
Chains.....	57	9,988	15.8	20.8	21.9	1	835	136	970	103	1,046
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	(2)	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	33	218	100.0	100.0	(1)	33	17	1	20	1	5
Independents.....	33	218	100.0			33	17	1	20	1	5
Chains.....	---	---	---	100.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	15	320	100.0	100.0	(1)	13	34	2	53	1	35
Independents.....	14	---	---	100.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	320	100.0	---		13	34	2	53	1	35
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	378	12,670	100.0	100.0	100.0	305	1,072	79	1,979	58	6,024
Independents.....	353	11,555	91.2	88.8	91.3	304	947	77	1,776	57	5,670
Chains.....	23	1,115	8.8	10.4	8.7	1	125	2	203	1	354
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	.8	(2)	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	751	10,743	100.0	100.0	100.0	570	834	122	959	39	830
Independents.....	574	4,219	39.3	31.8	55.7	567	289	72	268	25	269
Chains.....	177	8,524	80.7	68.2	44.3	3	545	50	891	14	561
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	589	5,832	100.0	100.0	(1)	577	784	134	882	54	216
Independents.....	583	---	---	95.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	5,832	100.0	4.8		577	784	134	882	54	216
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	550	2,849	100.0	100.0	(1)	482	494	282	193	53	54
Independents.....	526	2,168	76.1	50.7		480	381	258	121	45	14
Chains.....	24	681	23.9	46.5		2	113	28	72	8	40
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.8		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	17,888	237,736	100.0	100.0	100.0	18,656	28,877	5,158	32,784	2,469	24,927

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Comparable data not available.

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Four mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

INDIANA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	47,517	\$1,066,583	100.0	100.0	100.0	44,003	123,192	25,513	\$110,895	\$8,520	\$129,048
Independents.....	43,499	802,985	75.3	72.9	80.0	43,782	88,774	14,591	80,515	5,108	103,611
Single-store.....	41,091	730,648	68.5	65.5	73.0	42,428	80,072	13,141	71,892	4,658	95,177
Multiunit.....	1,855	70,192	6.6	7.2	7.0	854	8,457	1,151	8,460	428	10,310
Market and roadside stands.....	424	939	.1	.1	(1)	412	109	52	60	12	6
Leased departments—Independent.....	119	1,204	.1	.1	(1)	108	156	47	103	12	118
Chains.....	3,517	240,367	22.5	25.0	19.3	65	31,062	10,402	26,565	3,183	23,117
Local chains.....	815	35,868	3.2	2.3	5.2	26	4,465	1,045	3,905	596	3,539
Sectional or national chains.....	2,185	189,444	17.7	22.1	13.4	58	24,184	8,973	19,978	2,878	17,435
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	554	12,831	1.2	.2	.4	1	1,781	187	2,116	56	1,699
Leased-department chains.....	183	4,226	.4	.4	.3	2	674	197	568	53	444
Other types.....	511	25,033	2.2	2.1	.7	156	3,356	520	3,815	229	2,320
Utility-operated stores.....	140	4,435	.4	.5	.3	2	722	263	980	119	705
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	154	5,050	.5	.4	.2	92	1,487	141	1,600	87	284
Commissaries or company stores.....	5	35	(1)	(1)	(1)	---	2	2	2	2	11
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	142	11,780	1.1	1.5	.2	---	950	92	1,005	56	1,258
Other types of operation.....	72	1,753	.2	.1	(1)	62	195	22	228	5	84
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,786	28,143	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,510	2,026	845	1,513	207	2,154
Independents.....	2,411	14,112	50.1	42.0	32.1	2,492	708	217	398	47	1,419
Chains.....	554	13,875	48.6	56.8	57.4	1	1,258	627	1,045	160	722
Other types.....	21	356	1.3	1.4	10.5	17	60	1	70	(2)	13
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	7,942	168,754	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,759	13,092	3,966	9,881	1,066	10,553
Independents.....	7,275	111,539	68.1	65.3	72.6	7,740	8,155	1,746	5,885	452	8,141
Chains.....	655	56,932	33.7	34.7	21.7	11	4,917	2,217	3,979	603	2,195
Other types.....	12	285	.2	(1)	5.7	8	22	5	19	1	17
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	468	13,295	100.0	(3)	(3)	382	2,142	179	2,969	70	102
Independents.....	566	11,106	83.5	---	---	381	1,714	98	2,598	42	91
Chains.....	102	2,187	16.5	---	---	1	428	81	571	28	11
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	739	4,190	100.0	100.0	(3)	688	681	209	371	61	187
Independents.....	681	3,284	78.4	87.7	---	891	481	145	240	43	157
Chains.....	53	795	19.0	8.7	---	2	191	64	121	18	16
Other types.....	5	111	2.6	5.8	---	5	9	---	10	---	14
Department stores.....	145	99,730	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	14,862	3,894	14,650	1,478	13,245
Independents.....	47	50,805	50.7	52.4	73.3	8	8,812	1,461	9,308	595	7,501
Chains.....	98	49,125	49.3	47.8	26.7	---	8,050	2,253	5,342	883	5,744
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	453	28,604	100.0	100.0	100.0	255	6,552	3,185	3,696	878	5,523
Independents.....	273	3,297	11.5	8.5	9.2	254	858	238	314	59	878
Chains.....	180	25,307	88.5	91.5	90.8	1	5,894	2,947	3,582	859	2,645
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	517	16,934	100.0	100.0	100.0	475	1,602	374	1,814	125	5,003
Independents.....	481	14,878	86.7	89.4	87.8	475	1,418	354	1,592	108	4,663
Chains.....	36	2,256	13.3	10.6	12.0	---	184	40	222	17	340
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	236	10,814	100.0	100.0	100.0	170	1,498	313	1,488	108	2,240
Independents.....	179	7,049	86.4	79.8	50.2	170	958	188	979	61	1,778
Chains.....	57	3,565	33.6	20.2	49.8	---	530	127	507	47	462
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	571	20,373	100.0	100.0	100.0	412	2,918	653	2,548	184	2,548
Independents.....	453	15,957	68.4	68.5	69.0	401	1,997	344	1,856	106	2,061
Chains.....	110	5,820	28.8	33.5	28.0	11	851	269	589	78	445
Other types.....	8	616	3.0	---	3.0	---	70	---	103	---	42
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	577	18,178	100.0	100.0	100.0	302	1,966	784	1,774	201	3,925
Independents.....	522	6,717	41.5	39.3	50.1	295	713	182	695	53	2,155
Chains.....	195	7,870	47.4	50.2	44.8	2	1,028	489	872	122	1,450
Leased departments.....	60	1,791	11.1	10.5	5.1	7	225	95	207	26	320
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	884	27,386	100.0	100.0	100.0	811	3,032	185	4,032	67	6,284
Independents.....	858	23,106	84.4	85.4	85.4	808	2,545	175	3,348	85	5,485
Chains.....	26	4,280	15.6	14.6	12.7	5	487	12	684	4	799
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	1.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	400	8,301	100.0	(3)	(3)	228	1,595	536	1,720	170	1,424
Independents.....	222	2,748	33.1	---	---	227	363	51	345	27	451
Chains.....	41	1,288	15.5	---	---	---	315	5	451	1	323
Utility-operated stores.....	151	4,079	49.1	---	---	---	865	258	880	118	659
Other types.....	8	188	2.3	---	---	1	52	24	64	24	11
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	242	4,781	100.0	(3)	(3)	230	567	62	649	33	746
Independents.....	234	4,393	91.9	---	---	229	503	60	542	52	681
Chains.....	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	5	388	8.1	---	---	1	64	2	107	1	85
Radio stores—other.....	72	501	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	78	4	73	2	98
Independents.....	72	501	100.0	100.0	86.7	72	76	4	75	2	98
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	10.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.8	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

INDIANA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	1,165	\$138,793	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,053	9,448	271	\$11,859	\$160	\$12,471
Independents.....	1,161	138,793	100.0	98.5		1,053	9,448	271	11,859	160	12,471
Chains.....	4			1.5							
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	658	17,451	100.0	100.0	(3)	493	2,016	123	2,412	46	2,309
Independents.....	507	8,852	50.7	40.9		493	1,141	81	1,245	27	1,484
Chains.....	151	8,599	49.3	59.1			875	42	1,167	19	825
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	8,252	88,916	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,019	6,789	1,540	5,330	422	2,919
Independents.....	7,924	79,317	89.2	75.7	48.5	8,013	5,820	1,274	4,287	402	2,565
Chains.....	311	8,504	9.6	23.3	49.1	6	875	59	913	18	276
Other types.....	17	1,095	1.2	1.0	2.4		94	7	130	2	80
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	825	44,965	100.0	100.0	(3)	488	4,598	670	5,645	588	11,980
Independents.....	716	39,369	87.6	89.9		486	4,015	621	4,985	569	10,348
Chains.....	102	5,124	11.4	10.1		2	536	37	614	16	1,528
Other types.....	7	472	1.0				47	12	44	3	104
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	257	3,961	100.0	100.0	(3)	198	495	68	541	34	912
Independents.....	220	2,731	68.9	55.1		197	358	58	372	32	859
Chains.....	37	1,230	31.1	44.9		1	137	10	169	2	253
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	876	16,430	100.0	100.0	100.0	920	1,653	170	1,856	77	6,522
Independents.....	868	16,430	100.0	98.4	98.1	920	1,653	170	1,656	77	8,522
Chains.....	8			1.6	1.7						
Other types.....					.2						
Restaurants, other eating places.....	4,945	46,750	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,126	13,510	1,811	7,510	464	624
Independents.....	4,818	42,422	90.7	95.5	94.6	5,120	12,280	1,584	6,602	390	568
Chains.....	120	4,198	9.0	4.2	5.2	3	1,189	215	684	71	52
Other types.....	7	130	.3	.3	.2	3	41	12	24	3	4
Drug stores with fountain.....	1,153	37,729	100.0	100.0	(3)	950	4,910	950	5,963	286	6,728
Independents.....	1,005	23,280	61.7	60.4		949	2,853	665	2,154	207	4,995
Chains.....	148	14,449	38.3	39.6		1	2,057	285	1,809	79	1,733
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	368	6,095	100.0	100.0	(3)	346	590	116	578	35	1,659
Independents.....	356	4,942	81.1	91.1		348	495	103	469	33	1,512
Chains.....	12	1,153	18.9	8.8			95	13	107	2	147
Other types.....				.1							
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	464	5,717	100.0	100.0	---	421	329	65	232	23	605
Independents.....	464	5,717	100.0	100.0	---	421	329	65	232	23	605
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	1,432	31,613	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,284	4,057	876	4,225	580	2,575
Independents.....	1,408	29,672	93.9	96.3	95.0	1,280	3,699	873	3,618	576	2,455
Chains.....	20	1,893	6.0	2.7		2	352	2	401	3	117
Other types.....	4	48	.1	1.0	5.0	2	6	1	6	1	5
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	774	24,563	100.0	100.0	(3)	620	1,827	282	1,636	124	2,679
Independents.....	675	18,277	74.4	61.5		613	1,568	234	1,185	105	1,992
Chains.....	34	1,585	5.6	25.1		7	122	16	104	6	132
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	65	4,921	20.0	15.4			357	32	347	13	555
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	150	6,953	100.0	100.0	(3)	115	620	95	610	38	759
Independents.....	109			40.1							
Chains.....	4	2,150	30.9	2.2		115	205	58	174	22	321
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	37	4,803	69.1	57.6			415	37	436	16	438
Other types.....				.1							
Jewelry stores.....	432	9,218	100.0	100.0	100.0	388	969	97	1,302	42	3,519
Independents.....	416	8,404	91.2	94.0	90.3	388	894	91	1,193	40	3,540
Chains.....	16	814	8.8	6.0	9.7		75	6	109	2	179
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	379	3,412	100.0	100.0	100.0	361	443	91	340	27	214
Independents.....	360	2,770	81.2	74.9	90.8	361	376	70	286	22	168
Chains.....	19	642	18.8	24.8	7.8		67	21	54	5	48
Other types.....				.3	1.4						
Florists.....	395	3,356	100.0	100.0	(3)	431	475	77	449	29	183
Independents.....	395	3,356	100.0	100.0		431	475	77	449	29	183
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	123	1,028	100.0	100.0	(3)	115	164	70	73	11	65
Independents.....	115			91.7							
Chains.....	8	1,028	100.0	8.3		115	164	70	73	11	65
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	8,837	131,651	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,565	18,100	3,392	15,362	1,084	20,513

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

IOWA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	39,024	\$822,905	100.0	100.0	100.0	37,111	87,684	19,560	\$72,514	\$5,934	\$112,693
Independents.....	35,851	649,325	78.9	79.0	82.4	36,779	66,810	12,745	54,476	3,859	88,970
Single stores.....	34,055	593,627	72.1	73.1	75.7	35,728	60,753	11,705	48,894	3,545	80,827
Multunit.....	1,491	53,094	6.5	5.7	6.7	776	5,786	965	5,362	294	7,857
Market and roadside stands.....	141	286	(1)	.1	---	137	31	19	10	4	2
Leased departments—-independent.....	164	2,318	.3	.1	(1)	138	240	56	210	16	284
Chains.....	2,321	147,944	18.0	18.4	15.4	60	18,406	6,146	15,597	1,808	21,183
Local chains.....	384	15,744	1.9	1.1	4.8	40	1,720	418	1,515	108	2,174
Sectional or national chains.....	1,616	119,288	14.5	16.7	9.8	18	14,991	5,482	12,176	1,623	17,186
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	190	10,003	1.2	.2	.4	---	1,200	122	1,487	39	1,528
Leased-department chains.....	131	2,909	.4	.4	.4	2	495	124	419	38	295
Other types.....	852	25,636	3.1	2.6	2.2	272	2,468	669	2,441	267	2,540
Utility-operated stores.....	204	3,670	.4	.4	.4	2	592	369	509	162	732
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	257	2,874	.3	.3	.2	218	738	77	748	20	156
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	162	7,092	.9	.7	.9	---	527	89	524	20	766
Other types of operation.....	229	12,000	1.5	1.2	.7	52	611	134	660	65	886
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,224	31,452	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,099	2,299	833	1,465	192	3,225
Independents.....	2,030	23,348	74.2	70.7	72.3	2,088	1,467	444	811	92	2,698
Chains.....	187	8,086	25.7	28.5	26.9	5	829	388	653	100	525
Other types.....	7	18	.1	.8	.8	6	3	1	1	(2)	2
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	4,097	111,140	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,075	8,518	2,347	6,257	555	7,802
Independents.....	3,803	87,278	78.5	78.8	85.5	4,060	6,401	1,473	4,492	319	6,597
Chains.....	287	23,728	21.4	21.2	14.5	14	2,106	873	1,756	236	1,186
Other types.....	7	134	.1	---	---	1	11	1	9	(2)	19
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	810	7,010	100.0	(3)	(3)	780	1,290	206	1,197	56	49
Independents.....	779	6,695	95.5	---	---	780	1,221	206	1,160	56	47
Chains.....	28	221	3.2	---	---	---	60	---	27	---	---
Other types.....	3	94	1.3	---	---	---	9	---	10	---	2
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	411	2,308	100.0	100.0	(3)	400	325	114	160	28	75
Independents.....	389	2,076	89.9	93.3	---	387	285	104	133	25	72
Chains.....	9	177	7.7	4.4	---	---	32	10	22	3	1
Other types.....	15	55	2.4	2.3	---	13	8	---	5	---	2
Department stores.....	117	56,646	100.0	100.0	100.0	9	8,780	2,449	8,022	703	8,107
Independents.....	24	25,862	45.7	47.4	64.4	9	5,041	1,211	4,732	330	3,567
Chains.....	93	30,784	54.3	52.6	33.8	---	3,739	1,238	3,290	373	4,540
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	393	17,859	100.0	100.0	100.0	276	3,706	1,812	2,040	502	2,545
Independents.....	279	3,851	21.6	15.5	14.5	272	724	301	282	54	993
Chains.....	114	14,008	78.4	84.5	85.5	4	2,982	1,511	1,758	448	1,552
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	460	14,492	100.0	100.0	100.0	482	1,273	257	1,436	76	5,156
Independents.....	447	13,799	95.2	91.6	92.3	482	1,196	244	1,336	68	4,981
Chains.....	13	693	4.8	8.4	7.5	---	77	13	100	8	175
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	143	4,719	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	685	150	680	47	1,330
Independents.....	129	4,228	89.6	86.9	79.6	126	612	125	604	41	1,272
Chains.....	14	491	10.4	13.1	20.4	---	73	25	76	6	58
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	467	13,931	100.0	100.0	100.0	353	2,102	537	1,595	143	2,085
Independents.....	382	9,591	68.8	70.5	56.0	350	1,475	327	1,135	89	1,738
Chains.....	81	4,300	30.9	29.5	34.8	2	618	210	448	54	347
Other types.....	4	40	.3	---	9.2	1	9	---	12	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	508	10,336	100.0	100.0	100.0	399	1,153	348	1,076	95	3,088
Independents.....	399	6,788	65.5	64.1	67.7	384	729	179	671	44	2,487
Chains.....	58	2,360	22.8	28.1	19.1	---	288	117	251	34	377
Leased departments.....	51	1,208	11.7	7.8	13.2	15	156	52	164	17	224
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	502	17,827	100.0	100.0	100.0	525	1,758	149	2,299	47	4,694
Independents.....	496	17,413	97.7	84.4	92.5	525	1,700	143	2,232	45	4,598
Chains.....	6	414	2.3	15.6	4.3	---	58	6	66	2	96
Other types.....	---	---	---	3.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	412	6,405	100.0	(3)	(3)	187	1,074	410	1,015	181	1,168
Independents.....	190	2,013	31.4	---	---	184	287	49	282	26	324
Chains.....	28	935	14.6	---	---	---	219	3	280	(2)	181
Utility-operated stores.....	190	3,434	53.6	---	---	---	564	358	469	155	658
Other types.....	4	23	.4	---	---	3	4	---	4	---	5
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	196	3,242	100.0	(3)	(3)	193	394	61	383	21	626
Independents.....	188	3,018	95.1	---	---	192	366	59	342	20	556
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	7	224	6.9	---	---	1	28	2	41	1	70
Radio stores—other.....	104	581	100.0	100.0	100.0	100	65	18	48	5	95
Independents.....	102	---	---	100.0	94.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	581	100.0	---	3.4	100	65	18	48	5	95
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	2.2	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

IOWA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	1,224	\$109,711	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,275	7,280	233	\$8,403	\$133	\$11,107
Independents.....	1,224	109,711	100.0	99.9		1,275	7,280	233	8,403	133	11,107
Chains.....	—	—	—	.1		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	864	11,009	100.0	100.0	(3)	639	1,344	150	1,400	54	1,711
Independents.....	587	6,274	57.0	50.5		639	777	112	671	34	1,173
Chains.....	77	4,735	43.0	48.9		—	567	38	729	20	538
Other types.....	—	—	—	.6		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	8,967	72,059	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,806	5,637	1,293	4,059	347	2,270
Independents.....	6,710	66,223	91.9	91.2	58.7	6,797	5,036	1,246	3,418	353	2,006
Chains.....	191	3,863	5.4	8.0	40.2	7	408	37	401	11	122
Other types.....	66	1,973	2.7	.8	1.1	2	193	10	240	3	140
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	1,165	56,711	100.0	100.0	(3)	498	4,323	1,189	4,831	508	15,158
Independents.....	612	30,376	53.5	57.1		490	2,186	485	2,542	248	7,297
Chains.....	536	24,877	43.9	42.7		5	2,064	681	2,022	255	7,629
Other types.....	17	1,458	2.6	.2		1	73	23	67	5	232
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	156	2,919	100.0	100.0	(3)	135	358	62	372	31	739
Independents.....	144	2,303	78.9	79.1		135	294	62	285	31	618
Chains.....	12	616	21.1	20.9		—	64	—	87	—	121
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	1,208	19,446	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,334	1,651	236	1,469	86	6,671
Independents.....	1,196	18,951	97.5	98.2	97.1	1,332	1,586	234	1,407	86	6,559
Chains.....	12	495	2.5	1.8	—	2	65	2	62	(2)	112
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	2.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,315	32,691	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,406	9,469	1,500	4,846	352	466
Independents.....	3,259	30,360	92.9	94.4	94.1	3,398	8,683	1,315	4,273	312	425
Chains.....	56	2,331	7.1	5.6	5.9	8	786	185	573	40	41
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	883	23,503	100.0	100.0	(3)	850	2,715	459	2,291	150	5,202
Independents.....	847	18,689	79.5	82.8		850	2,068	358	1,679	111	4,727
Chains.....	36	4,814	20.5	17.2		—	647	121	612	39	475
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	444	5,370	100.0	100.0	(3)	437	505	102	426	28	1,681
Independents.....	440	5,317	99.0	85.1		437	497	102	419	28	1,874
Chains.....	2	53	1.0	14.8		—	8	—	7	—	7
Other types.....	2	—	—	.1		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	198	11,625	100.0	100.0	—	26	563	124	629	64	796
Independents.....	25	171	1.5	2.7	—	26	6	3	3	1	10
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	173	11,454	98.5	97.3	—	—	557	121	626	63	786
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	969	15,325	100.0	100.0	100.0	929	2,328	643	2,113	375	1,155
Independents.....	943	14,529	94.8	87.1	84.0	928	2,215	611	1,999	362	1,074
Chains.....	21	754	4.9	11.3	12.7	1	104	31	104	12	78
Other types.....	5	42	.3	1.6	3.3	—	9	1	10	1	3
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	834	20,270	100.0	100.0	(3)	721	1,221	239	1,018	89	1,824
Independents.....	764	16,725	82.5	93.1		715	992	187	817	76	1,424
Chains.....	—	—	—	2.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	55	3,006	14.8	4.2		—	200	50	163	11	306
Other types.....	15	539	2.7	—		6	29	2	38	2	94
Farm and garden supply stores.....	236	5,340	100.0	100.0	(3)	200	557	142	448	78	766
Independents.....	207	3,497	65.5	55.4		198	276	102	249	64	463
Chains.....	25	—	—	17.9		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	1,843	34.5	28.7		2	281	40	199	14	303
Other types.....	2	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	375	5,217	100.0	100.0	100.0	384	457	76	580	24	2,107
Independents.....	365	4,718	90.4	96.7	98.6	380	415	69	525	22	2,032
Chains.....	7	409	7.8	3.3		—	37	7	52	2	63
Other types.....	3	92	1.8	—	1.4	4	5	—	3	—	12
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	226	2,872	100.0	100.0	100.0	193	355	74	266	21	191
Independents.....	189	2,122	73.9	75.5	81.1	191	263	58	181	15	130
Chains.....	37	750	26.1	24.5	18.9	2	92	16	85	6	61
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	239	2,290	100.0	100.0	(3)	251	391	69	342	26	125
Independents.....	238	—	—	93.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	2,290	100.0	6.8		251	391	69	342	26	125
Other types.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	51	494	100.0	100.0	(3)	48	49	15	27	5	37
Independents.....	49	—	—	94.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	494	100.0	6.0		48	49	15	27	5	37
Other types.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	9,026	128,105	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,977	15,059	3,263	11,522	912	20,442

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 2 Less than \$500.
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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

KANSAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	27,545	\$473,551	100.0	100.0	100.0	25,780	56,490	12,518	\$42,510	\$3,439	\$72,922
Independents	25,363	370,314	78.2	80.3	82.0	25,629	42,521	7,963	31,260	2,195	56,721
Single-store.....	24,057	338,093	71.4	73.2	74.7	24,952	38,118	7,267	27,741	2,010	51,225
Multunit.....	1,184	31,385	6.6	7.0	7.3	575	4,323	669	3,467	178	5,448
Market and roadside stands.....	45	111	—	.1	—	43	15	8	5	2	—
Leased departments—-independent.....	77	725	.2	(1)	(1)	59	65	19	47	5	48
Chains	1,781	93,331	19.7	18.3	16.0	63	12,491	4,100	9,987	1,128	15,061
Local chains.....	306	10,493	2.2	1.1	6.1	29	1,343	268	1,105	62	1,978
Sectional or national chains.....	1,240	76,745	16.2	16.8	9.5	33	10,120	3,619	7,785	963	12,145
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	136	4,768	1.0	.2	.3	—	769	128	894	83	811
Leased-department chains.....	99	1,325	.3	.2	.1	1	259	85	203	20	127
Other types	401	9,906	2.1	1.4	2.0	88	1,478	455	1,263	116	1,140
Utility-operated stores.....	157	2,306	.5	.3	.7	4	521	343	446	95	362
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	68	1,152	.2	.1	.2	64	352	17	299	3	63
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	300	.1	(1)	—	—	87	1	69	(2)	36
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	149	4,862	1.0	1.0	1.1	475	88	405	17	623	56
Other types of operation.....	24	1,286	.3	(1)	(1)	20	43	6	44	1	—
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	1,155	13,206	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,081	1,028	366	624	64	1,308
Independents.....	1,085	10,299	78.0	75.1	77.3	1,076	748	242	400	40	1,044
Chains.....	54	2,642	20.0	23.2	22.2	1	240	113	202	23	224
Other types.....	16	265	2.0	1.7	.5	4	40	11	22	1	40
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	3,942	93,358	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,870	7,949	2,294	5,502	502	6,798
Independents.....	3,653	69,539	74.5	79.1	78.7	3,655	5,796	1,450	3,773	287	5,528
Chains.....	266	23,113	24.8	20.9	20.8	13	2,068	620	1,678	211	1,182
Other types.....	23	706	.7	—	.5	2	85	24	51	4	88
Dairy products, milk dealers	228	2,306	100.0	(3)	(3)	224	392	63	332	16	12
Independents.....	218	1,808	78.4	—	—	224	326	59	256	15	11
Chains.....	10	498	21.6	—	—	—	66	4	76	1	1
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	254	1,148	100.0	100.0	(3)	253	211	86	81	18	55
Independents.....	249	1,091	95.0	96.4	—	251	196	82	72	18	55
Chains.....	2	57	5.0	3.2	—	2	15	4	9	(2)	—
Other types.....	3	—	.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores	76	24,855	100.0	100.0	100.0	6	4,007	958	3,318	262	4,187
Independents.....	14	8,486	34.1	38.7	54.0	6	1,865	260	1,583	72	1,618
Chains.....	62	16,369	65.9	61.3	46.0	—	2,142	698	1,735	190	2,569
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores	332	12,212	100.0	100.0	100.0	210	3,021	1,563	1,458	405	2,084
Independents.....	226	2,326	19.0	10.1	17.6	210	512	226	193	43	824
Chains.....	106	9,886	81.0	89.9	82.4	—	2,509	1,337	1,265	362	1,460
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	250	6,808	100.0	100.0	100.0	257	626	113	615	31	2,571
Independents.....	242	6,572	96.6	90.1	93.5	256	595	106	581	30	2,491
Chains.....	8	234	3.4	9.9	6.5	1	31	7	34	1	80
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Family clothing stores	128	4,249	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	584	141	523	31	1,291
Independents.....	119	3,101	75.0	85.9	69.3	126	405	88	355	21	1,056
Chains.....	9	1,148	27.0	14.1	30.7	—	179	53	168	10	235
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores	339	6,429	100.0	100.0	100.0	293	1,020	304	681	80	1,081
Independents.....	287	4,411	68.6	75.6	85.0	280	692	170	470	45	916
Chains.....	52	2,018	31.4	24.4	13.6	3	328	134	211	35	165
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds)	289	5,116	100.0	100.0	100.0	166	638	186	583	49	1,592
Independents.....	170	2,784	54.4	64.9	77.9	158	317	81	307	22	1,025
Chains.....	54	1,524	29.8	25.2	12.4	1	212	69	182	15	446
Leased departments.....	45	808	15.8	9.9	—	7	109	36	94	12	121
Other types.....	—	—	—	9.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores	381	8,866	100.0	100.0	100.0	389	1,036	100	1,104	29	2,731
Independents.....	380	8,866	100.0	98.1	98.5	389	1,036	100	1,104	29	2,731
Chains.....	1	—	—	1.9	1.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers	267	3,832	100.0	(3)	(3)	88	839	387	760	107	700
Independents.....	89	1,058	27.6	—	—	87	124	30	97	13	190
Chains.....	26	803	21.0	—	—	—	233	26	260	3	202
Utility-operated stores.....	148	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	2	1,971	51.4	—	—	1	482	331	403	91	308
Radio—household appliance dealers	164	3,248	100.0	(3)	(3)	160	435	60	409	27	590
Independents.....	160	—	—	—	—	160	435	60	409	27	590
Chains.....	4	3,248	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other	48	763	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	132	14	156	11	184
Independents.....	44	763	100.0	—	82.5	46	132	14	156	11	184
Chains.....	4	—	—	—	2.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	14.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

KANSAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	839	\$68,274	100.0	100.0	(3)	863	5,508	205	\$5,915	\$96	\$7,887
Independents.....	832	66,091	96.8	100.0		861	5,370	205	5,728	96	7,712
Chains.....	6	2,183	3.2	---		2	138	---	187	---	175
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	635	9,591	100.0	100.0	(3)	583	1,178	109	1,112	39	1,584
Independents.....	562	6,745	70.3	56.6		583	831	92	710	31	1,272
Chains.....	73	2,846	29.7	43.4		---	347	17	402	8	312
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	5,726	49,592	100.0	100.0		5,363	4,716	962	3,185	263	2,081
Independents.....	5,421	44,940	90.6	79.9	63.5	5,347	4,131	922	2,631	254	1,718
Chains.....	243	5,095	6.3	18.8	36.0	8	428	19	352	5	208
Other types.....	62	1,557	3.1	1.3	.5	8	157	21	172	4	155
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	918	24,778	100.0	100.0	(3)	372	2,304	428	2,452	164	9,360
Independents.....	470	12,950	52.3	51.3		356	1,138	162	1,235	92	4,543
Chains.....	448	11,828	47.7	48.6		16	1,166	246	1,217	72	5,017
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	.1	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	136	2,228	100.0	100.0	(3)	128	360	123	384	86	600
Independents.....	115	1,041	46.7	62.3		128	155	48	135	20	313
Chains.....	21	1,187	53.3	37.7		---	205	75	249	66	287
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	771	9,580	100.0	100.0	100.0	860	954	147	755	48	4,709
Independents.....	760	9,344	97.5	100.0	95.9	860	923	142	733	46	4,579
Chains.....	8	204	2.1	---	4.1	---	26	4	28	2	111
Other types.....	3	32	.4	---	---	---	5	1	4	(2)	19
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,878	19,462	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,893	6,447	882	2,828	181	160
Independents.....	2,837	18,630	95.7	98.0	95.1	2,891	6,128	852	2,650	175	129
Chains.....	58	576	3.0	1.8	4.6	2	229	27	131	5	10
Other types.....	3	256	1.3	.2	.3	---	90	3	67	1	21
Drug stores with fountain.....	857	18,571	100.0	100.0	(3)	807	2,673	498	1,885	139	4,376
Independents.....	809	14,847	79.9	80.6		802	2,102	471	1,443	132	3,890
Chains.....	48	3,724	20.1	19.4		5	571	27	442	6	486
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	219	2,427	100.0	100.0	(3)	213	266	65	207	18	715
Independents.....	217	2,427	100.0	100.0		213	266	65	207	18	715
Chains.....	2	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	420	3,534	100.0	100.0	100.0	404	580	171	473	84	229
Independents.....	417	3,480	98.5	89.9	86.1	402	576	171	471	84	229
Chains.....	1	54	1.5	8.8	13.9	2	4	---	2	---	---
Other types.....	2	---	---	1.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	464	11,328	100.0	100.0	(3)	398	609	134	469	44	946
Independents.....	416	9,167	80.9	81.9		398	455	97	346	35	722
Chains.....	15	359	3.2	2.4		---	37	16	25	4	74
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	33	1,802	15.9	15.7		---	117	21	98	5	150
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	48	663	100.0	100.0	(3)	45	61	10	48	5	100
Independents.....	44	643	97.0	62.1		42	57	8	45	4	97
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	20	3.0	37.9		3	4	2	3	1	3
Other types.....	3	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	240	3,256	100.0	100.0	100.0	239	354	69	390	21	1,469
Independents.....	235	2,704	83.0	81.7	99.6	238	294	51	318	12	1,374
Chains.....	4	552	17.0	18.3	.4	1	60	18	72	9	95
Other types.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	86	714	100.0	100.0	100.0	87	131	58	59	7	48
Independents.....	83	714	100.0	94.7	90.0	87	131	58	59	7	48
Chains.....	3	---	---	5.3	10.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	159	1,328	100.0	100.0	(3)	165	252	69	186	18	47
Independents.....	159	1,328	100.0	100.0		165	252	69	186	18	47
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	49	246	100.0	100.0	(3)	46	53	29	21	5	22
Independents.....	47	246	100.0	90.3		46	53	29	21	5	22
Chains.....	2	---	---	9.7		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	5,268	61,585	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,155	8,126	1,924	5,985	590	13,405

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

KENTUCKY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	30,919	\$520,135	100.0	100.0	100.0	28,970	55,062	10,778	\$46,090	\$3,590	\$71,413
Independents.....	29,089	404,770	77.8	76.2	81.2	28,813	41,071	6,294	34,482	2,302	60,652
Single-store.....	27,957	368,463	70.8	69.5	74.9	28,183	36,496	5,787	30,057	2,156	54,750
Multiunit.....	975	35,417	6.8	6.4	6.3	485	4,488	486	4,351	137	5,780
Market and roadside stands.....	120	324	.1	.2	(1)	113	27	10	14	3	2
Leased departments—-independent.....	37	566	.1	.1	(1)	32	60	11	60	6	120
Chains.....	1,395	95,274	18.3	20.1	15.6	34	12,178	4,221	9,798	1,196	8,819
Local chains.....	186	6,891	1.3	1.0	2.9	17	718	142	583	38	494
Sectional or national chains.....	1,061	82,784	15.9	18.8	11.9	14	10,614	3,961	8,294	1,120	7,539
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	86	4,155	.8	.2	.4	2	572	51	697	13	641
Leased-department chains.....	62	1,644	.3	.3	.4	1	274	87	224	27	145
Other types.....	435	20,091	3.9	3.7	3.2	123	1,813	263	1,810	92	1,942
Utility-operated stores.....	82	758	.1	.2	.2	---	120	48	89	15	128
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	78	1,359	.3	.3	.2	57	490	62	419	11	91
Commissaries or company stores.....	200	15,830	3.1	3.0	2.7	2	1,053	130	1,171	57	1,632
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	7	106	(1)	(1)	(1)	---	17	1	12	(2)	16
Other types of operation.....	68	2,058	.4	.2	.1	64	133	22	119	9	75
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,918	25,453	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,530	1,076	381	671	90	3,095
Independents.....	5,769	20,203	79.4	83.9	54.7	5,520	614	170	278	36	2,746
Chains.....	130	4,614	18.1	35.5	45.7	1	425	205	347	52	292
Other types.....	19	636	2.5	.6	1.6	9	37	6	46	2	57
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,683	86,818	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,422	6,277	1,794	4,670	472	5,674
Independents.....	3,268	54,423	62.7	63.0	68.2	3,413	3,621	698	2,486	180	4,338
Chains.....	402	31,862	36.7	36.8	31.5	8	2,626	1,094	2,147	291	1,298
Other types.....	13	533	.8	.2	.3	1	30	2	37	1	38
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	123	5,043	100.0	(3)	(3)	111	1,031	35	1,156	10	108
Independents.....	115	5,043	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	6	---	---	---	---	111	1,031	35	1,156	10	108
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	317	1,880	100.0	100.0	(3)	283	286	52	172	14	55
Independents.....	293	1,511	80.4	98.6	---	282	217	44	151	10	50
Chains.....	17	177	9.4	1.1	---	---	46	7	25	3	1
Other types.....	7	192	10.2	.3	---	---	23	1	16	1	4
Department stores.....	63	28,078	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	4,009	922	3,842	366	4,252
Independents.....	21	14,456	51.4	60.9	68.9	13	2,272	301	2,348	157	2,408
Chains.....	42	13,642	48.6	39.1	28.4	---	1,737	621	1,494	209	1,844
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	267	12,565	100.0	100.0	100.0	155	2,768	1,366	1,491	378	1,718
Independents.....	169	1,967	15.7	14.6	9.0	154	328	114	157	25	521
Chains.....	98	10,598	84.3	85.4	91.0	1	2,440	1,252	1,334	353	1,197
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	230	10,216	100.0	100.0	100.0	208	1,069	179	1,269	55	2,927
Independents.....	214	9,278	90.8	94.3	96.3	206	982	167	1,166	50	2,765
Chains.....	16	938	9.2	4.5	3.7	2	87	12	103	5	162
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	219	6,187	100.0	100.0	100.0	197	701	163	542	48	1,977
Independents.....	195	4,827	78.0	87.9	72.2	196	479	118	342	51	1,746
Chains.....	24	1,360	22.0	12.1	27.8	1	222	45	200	17	231
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	277	11,473	100.0	100.0	100.0	227	1,780	340	1,497	109	1,495
Independents.....	238	7,742	67.5	64.8	70.7	224	1,171	204	1,020	63	1,215
Chains.....	36	3,662	31.9	35.2	23.6	3	565	130	445	44	273
Other types.....	3	69	.6	---	5.7	---	44	6	32	2	7
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	204	6,177	100.0	100.0	100.0	117	731	258	632	79	1,331
Independents.....	124	2,588	41.9	42.0	49.6	110	280	75	243	23	761
Chains.....	53	2,628	42.5	44.9	42.7	3	327	147	278	45	425
Leased departments.....	27	961	15.6	13.1	7.7	4	124	36	111	11	145
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	351	12,221	100.0	100.0	100.0	333	1,444	59	1,699	19	2,946
Independents.....	342	11,112	90.9	88.4	83.4	333	1,320	59	1,523	19	2,696
Chains.....	9	1,109	9.1	11.6	8.9	---	124	---	176	---	250
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	7.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	153	2,323	100.0	(3)	(3)	47	401	67	390	23	416
Independents.....	53	887	38.2	---	---	45	103	19	93	9	133
Chains.....	15	602	25.9	---	---	---	164	1	186	(2)	146
Utility-operated stores.....	81	727	31.3	---	---	---	118	46	88	14	125
Other types.....	4	107	4.6	---	---	2	16	1	23	(2)	12
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	112	2,479	100.0	(3)	(3)	110	315	29	295	21	410
Independents.....	112	2,479	100.0	---	---	110	315	29	295	21	410
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	40	283	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	40	10	37	4	51
Independents.....	39	---	100.0	---	95.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	283	---	---	4.1	36	40	10	37	4	51
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

KENTUCKY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	529	\$64,667	100.0	100.0	(3)	504	4,938	115	\$5,474	\$55	\$6,398
Independents.....	529	64,667	100.0	96.6		504	4,938	115	5,474	55	6,398
Chains.....	---	---	---	3.4		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	245	7,056	100.0	100.0	(3)	193	780	38	860	15	1,039
Independents.....	195	4,393	62.3	52.0		193	513	32	525	11	757
Chains.....	50	2,663	37.7	48.0		---	267	6	335	4	282
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	3,540	33,836	100.0	100.0		3,418	3,072	477	2,197	149	1,319
Independents.....	3,393	29,179	86.2	66.9		3,417	2,581	449	1,731	141	1,141
Chains.....	138	4,330	12.8	32.5		1	464	24	443	7	170
Other types.....	9	327	1.0	.6		---	27	4	23	1	8
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	376	19,988	100.0	100.0	(3)	315	2,359	449	2,569	230	4,312
Independents.....	365	19,073	95.4	100.0		315	2,214	438	2,395	221	4,025
Chains.....	11	915	4.6	---		---	145	11	174	9	287
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	113	1,747	100.0	100.0	(3)	82	261	44	272	28	498
Independents.....	87	933	53.4	75.2		82	165	37	156	27	324
Chains.....	26	814	46.6	24.8		---	96	7	116	1	174
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	434	10,345	100.0	100.0		475	844	58	845	40	3,499
Independents.....	433	---	---	99.7		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	10,345	100.0	.3		475	844	58	845	40	3,499
Other types.....	1	---	---	7.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,695	19,568	100.0	100.0		2,673	5,359	809	2,856	164	256
Independents.....	2,639	16,028	92.1	92.1		2,672	4,815	625	2,525	153	241
Chains.....	56	1,540	7.9	7.6		1	544	184	331	31	15
Other types.....	---	---	---	.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	568	16,874	100.0	100.0	(3)	524	2,300	402	1,796	143	3,365
Independents.....	541	13,701	81.2	81.6		524	1,861	324	1,415	112	3,041
Chains.....	23	2,997	17.8	17.3		---	415	74	361	30	289
Other types.....	4	176	1.0	1.1		---	24	4	20	1	35
Drug stores, other.....	303	5,355	100.0	100.0	(3)	307	527	106	441	31	1,246
Independents.....	300	---	---	94.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	5,355	100.0	5.4		307	527	106	441	31	1,246
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	456	7,695	100.0	100.0		387	479	78	391	27	615
Independents.....	432	7,061	91.8	86.8		385	433	77	343	25	578
Chains.....	24	634	8.2	13.1		2	46	1	48	2	37
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	741	9,277	100.0	100.0	(3)	668	1,381	374	1,140	147	626
Independents.....	734	8,456	91.2	95.3		668	1,254	364	1,000	144	554
Chains.....	7	821	8.8	---		---	127	10	140	3	72
Other types.....	---	---	---	4.7		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	222	4,667	100.0	100.0	(3)	210	336	54	266	16	484
Independents.....	217	4,211	90.2	88.6		210	311	53	232	15	436
Chains.....	5	456	9.8	11.3		---	25	1	34	1	48
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	74	1,912	100.0	100.0	(3)	76	137	21	125	6	317
Independents.....	72	---	---	98.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	1,912	100.0	---		76	137	21	125	6	317
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	1.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	2	---	---	.4		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	170	3,563	100.0	100.0		161	349	33	458	80	1,613
Independents.....	167	3,456	97.0	76.0		161	342	32	445	80	1,588
Chains.....	3	107	3.0	24.0		---	7	1	13	(2)	25
Other types.....	---	---	---	.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	58	636	100.0	100.0		49	77	1	69	1	67
Independents.....	50	442	69.5	69.1		45	50	1	42	1	53
Chains.....	3	99	15.6	21.7		---	16	---	19	---	5
Other types.....	5	95	14.9	9.2		4	11	---	8	---	9
Florists.....	161	1,644	100.0	100.0	(3)	158	302	55	251	23	101
Independents.....	161	1,644	100.0	99.4		158	302	55	251	23	101
Chains.....	---	---	---	.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	44	302	100.0	100.0	(3)	36	75	23	28	3	11
Independents.....	31	176	58.3	72.2		32	28	17	11	2	8
Chains.....	9	112	37.1	27.8		---	47	6	17	1	3
Other types.....	4	14	4.8	---		4	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	8,233	99,807	100.0	100.0		7,945	9,558	1,986	7,689	724	19,192

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

LOUISIANA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	25,489	\$486,250	100.0	100.0	100.0	22,845	63,638	7,712	\$49,000	\$2,127	\$56,775
Independents.....	24,032	389,054	80.0	80.0	85.1	22,738	49,750	4,115	37,666	1,182	46,846
Single-store.....	22,487	333,155	68.5	73.9	77.6	21,913	42,315	3,447	31,485	959	39,827
Multiunit.....	1,274	52,864	10.9	5.5	7.5	535	7,009	603	5,914	190	8,809
Market and roadside stands.....	183	1,234	.2	.5	(1)	190	218	32	95	8	2
Leased departments—Independent.....	108	1,801	.4	.1	(1)	100	208	33	192	7	208
Chains.....	1,155	87,402	18.0	18.5	13.8	50	12,346	3,188	10,052	851	8,781
Local chains.....	261	15,580	3.2	3.5	4.1	26	2,111	170	1,774	43	1,865
Sectional or national chains.....	751	63,962	13.2	14.0	8.5	19	9,191	2,885	7,028	766	6,382
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	62	4,315	.9	.4	.8	---	567	46	786	15	463
Leased-department chains.....	81	3,545	.7	.6	.6	5	477	85	484	27	271
Other types.....	282	9,794	2.0	1.5	1.1	57	1,542	411	1,282	114	1,148
Utility-operated stores.....	87	1,556	.3	.3	.1	3	432	309	262	90	232
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	75	1,703	.4	.5	.2	24	459	60	401	12	89
Commissaries or company stores.....	82	5,479	1.1	.8	.7	8	489	35	464	10	770
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	14	428	.1	.1	.1	---	59	7	51	2	40
Other types of operation.....	24	628	.1	(1)	(1)	22	103	---	104	---	17
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	6,394	39,520	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,083	2,549	367	1,350	72	3,170
Independents.....	6,251	33,905	85.8	84.4	82.9	6,068	2,038	249	962	48	2,914
Chains.....	119	5,142	13.0	15.5	16.1	3	470	115	354	24	223
Other types.....	24	473	1.2	.1	1.0	12	41	3	34	(2)	33
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,003	44,276	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,829	4,519	844	2,753	166	2,777
Independents.....	1,834	31,565	71.3	69.2	69.8	1,826	3,267	426	1,858	83	2,188
Chains.....	165	12,638	28.5	30.8	30.2	1	1,248	415	892	82	588
Other types.....	4	73	.2	---	---	2	4	3	3	1	1
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	300	2,934	100.0	(3)	(3)	249	608	32	422	8	56
Independents.....	246	1,846	62.9	---	---	248	395	22	231	5	51
Chains.....	54	1,088	37.1	---	---	1	215	10	191	3	5
Other types.....	---	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents"	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	285	752	100.0	100.0	(3)	276	98	16	38	3	22
Independents.....	284	---	82.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	752	100.0	17.0	---	276	98	16	38	3	22
Other types.....	1	---	1.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	54	40,053	100.0	100.0	100.0	15	6,090	789	5,762	293	5,078
Independents.....	27	26,754	66.8	83.8	82.4	13	4,251	191	4,109	53	3,333
Chains.....	27	13,299	33.2	36.2	16.3	2	1,839	598	1,653	240	1,745
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	168	10,906	100.0	100.0	100.0	100	2,438	1,187	1,183	247	1,359
Independents.....	103	887	8.1	4.7	7.8	93	134	31	63	5	217
Chains.....	63	10,019	91.9	95.1	92.2	7	2,304	1,156	1,120	242	1,142
Other types.....	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	162	7,027	100.0	100.0	100.0	128	625	46	744	15	1,603
Independents.....	148	5,689	81.0	88.7	91.1	128	544	39	645	11	1,520
Chains.....	14	1,338	19.0	13.3	8.9	---	81	7	99	4	83
Other types.....	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	194	9,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	153	1,259	135	1,137	35	2,087
Independents.....	179	8,721	90.8	94.9	83.7	153	1,127	91	1,012	26	1,971
Chains.....	15	881	9.2	5.1	16.3	---	132	44	125	9	98
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	235	11,587	100.0	100.0	100.0	160	1,571	248	1,258	74	1,264
Independents.....	179	5,159	44.5	42.1	82.0	159	718	58	582	15	714
Chains.....	56	8,428	55.5	57.9	10.8	1	853	190	676	59	550
Other types.....	---	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	7.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	196	7,671	100.0	100.0	100.0	102	827	219	833	65	1,364
Independents.....	120	2,884	37.6	44.0	52.0	92	304	37	325	11	728
Chains.....	45	3,420	44.6	41.0	34.6	2	372	157	349	44	431
Leased departments.....	31	1,367	17.8	15.0	---	8	151	25	159	10	205
Other types.....	---	---	---	13.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	257	15,018	100.0	100.0	100.0	204	1,874	48	2,264	32	2,775
Independents.....	240	12,421	82.7	85.3	---	204	1,515	45	1,765	27	2,290
Chains.....	17	2,597	17.3	12.4	---	---	359	3	499	5	485
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	138	4,107	100.0	(3)	(3)	33	792	310	799	90	590
Independents.....	41	1,465	35.7	---	---	32	180	6	217	2	181
Chains.....	21	1,197	29.1	---	---	---	201	2	334	1	206
Utility-operated stores.....	74	1,445	35.2	---	---	1	411	302	248	87	223
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	57	1,295	100.0	(3)	(3)	45	189	23	162	9	169
Independents.....	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	1,295	100.0	---	---	45	189	23	162	9	169
Other types.....	7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	16	168	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	23	1	18	1	23
Independents.....	18	168	100.0	100.0	78.7	21	23	1	18	1	23
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	21.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

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TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	331	\$62,212	100.0	100.0	(3)	231	4,684	87	\$5,744	\$61	\$4,484
Independents	325										
Chains	5	62,212	100.0	100.0		231	4,684	87	5,744	61	4,484
Other types	1										
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	173	6,529	100.0	100.0	(3)	121	784	23	843	9	830
Independents	136	3,412	52.3	44.3		120	441	11	427	3	512
Chains	37	3,117	47.7	55.7		1	343	12	416	6	318
Other types											
Filling stations	2,721	30,781	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,487	3,858	268	2,540	70	888
Independents	2,608	27,963	90.9	92.8	73.9	2,483	3,570	268	2,281	70	780
Chains	110	2,654	8.6	16.2	26.1	4	271		246		99
Other types	3	164	.5	1.0			17		13		9
Lumber, building-materials dealers	283	22,934	100.0	100.0	(3)	166	2,633	375	2,640	151	3,732
Independents	259	20,475	89.3	84.7		166	2,432	321	2,441	129	3,331
Chains	24	2,459	10.7	14.1			201	54	199	22	401
Other types				1.2							
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	41	1,268	100.0	100.0	(3)	29	136	4	173	1	181
Independents	38			77.6							
Chains	3	1,268	100.0	22.4		29	136	4	173	1	181
Other types											
Hardware stores	251	6,816	100.0	100.0	100.0	213	709	54	678	19	1,847
Independents	245			100.0	92.5						
Chains	5	6,816	100.0		7.5	213	709	54	678	19	1,847
Other types	1										
Restaurants, other eating places	2,330	20,088	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,234	7,873	531	3,509	138	323
Independents	2,281	18,214	90.7	92.7	92.7	2,231	7,197	444	3,092	118	294
Chains	45	1,758	8.7	7.3	7.2	2	618	87	387	20	29
Other types	4	116	.8		.1	1	58		30		
Drug stores with fountain	402	17,239	100.0	100.0	(3)	299	3,162	141	2,157	47	2,289
Independents	355	11,126	64.5	66.0		298	2,016	107	1,306	27	1,640
Chains	47	6,113	35.5	33.6		1	1,146	34	851	20	649
Other types				.4							
Drug stores, other	490	5,836	100.0	100.0	(3)	433	929	106	521	26	1,148
Independents	484	5,669	97.1	98.8		432	913	105	507	26	1,118
Chains	3	167	2.9	1.2		1	16	1	14	(2)	28
Other types	3										
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	221	2,797	100.0	100.0		172	293	24	186	4	390
Independents	190	2,014	72.0	84.0		170	223	20	122	3	262
Chains	31	783	28.0	16.0		2	70	4	64	1	128
State liquor stores											
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	241	1,097	100.0	100.0	100.0	220	226	55	159	23	89
Independents	232	1,022	93.2	75.5	74.0	218	211	53	148	22	84
Chains	3			22.8							
Other types	6	75	6.8	1.7	26.0	2	15	2	11	1	5
Hay, grain and feed stores	95	2,709	100.0	100.0	(3)	91	199	25	142	9	212
Independents	93			100.0							
Chains		2,709	100.0			91	199	25	142	9	212
Farmers' cooperative stores	2										
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	78	2,156	100.0	100.0	(3)	57	343	66	210	16	228
Independents	68	1,729	80.2	76.4		55	304	62	170	15	179
Chains	4			22.8							
Farmers' cooperative stores	4	427	19.8			2	39	4	40	1	49
Other types				.8							
Jewelry stores	144	5,023	100.0	100.0	100.0	122	606	20	913	9	1,778
Independents	142			98.5	85.0						
Chains	1	5,023	100.0	1.5	15.0	122	606	20	913	9	1,776
Other types	1										
Cigar stores, cigar stands	89	909	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	121	14	68	2	75
Independents	63	372	40.9	29.2	40.0	40	45	13	23	2	46
Chains	26	537	59.1	87.2	60.0		76	1	45	(2)	29
Other types				3.6							
Florists	139	1,186	100.0	100.0	(3)	138	211	25	166	10	85
Independents	139	1,186	100.0	100.0		138	211	25	166	10	85
Chains											
Other types											
News dealers	35	236	100.0	100.0	(3)	30	41	14	16	2	9
Independents	35	236	100.0	91.8		30	41	14	16	2	9
Chains				8.2							
Other types											
All other kinds of business	6,952	101,518	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,364	13,368	1,615	9,612	420	15,874

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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MAINE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	13,455	\$281,356	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,821	28,113	5,021	\$26,079	\$1,758	\$37,814
Independents.....	12,329	216,771	77.0	76.4	84.4	11,682	21,671	3,030	20,099	1,165	31,128
Single-store.....	11,558	192,652	68.4	69.1	76.9	11,302	18,892	2,744	17,257	1,050	27,569
Multunit.....	665	23,615	8.4	7.1	7.5	283	2,710	272	2,787	109	3,491
Market and roadside stands.....	94	188	.1	.1	---	89	38	8	20	2	6
Leased departments—Independent.....	12	316	.1	.1	---	8	31	6	35	4	62
Chains.....	871	53,720	19.1	20.3	13.7	15	5,741	1,946	5,068	576	5,774
Local chains.....	88	3,440	1.2	.7	2.7	11	405	52	437	12	428
Sectional or national chains.....	686	46,281	16.5	19.2	10.4	4	4,889	1,815	4,123	538	4,710
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	69	3,330	1.2	.2	.6	---	359	46	424	16	517
Leased-department chains.....	28	689	.2	.2	(1)	---	88	33	84	10	119
Other types.....	255	10,865	3.9	3.3	1.9	124	701	45	912	17	912
Utility-operated stores.....	59	1,942	.7	.5	.7	---	180	18	269	5	359
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	56	1,200	.4	.8	.1	43	228	14	261	6	46
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	18	1,033	.4	.4	.7	---	50	6	57	2	90
Other types of operation.....	122	6,690	2.4	1.6	.3	81	243	7	325	4	417
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,579	21,296	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,205	1,214	363	1,188	139	2,033
Independents.....	1,227	8,762	41.1	44.5	35.4	1,196	386	91	252	24	1,083
Chains.....	342	12,502	58.7	55.0	64.3	---	826	272	936	115	948
Other types.....	10	32	.2	.5	.3	9	2	---	(2)	---	2
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,704	47,868	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,659	3,196	607	2,835	215	3,675
Independents.....	1,614	37,884	79.1	74.2	93.4	1,655	2,508	399	2,152	141	3,079
Chains.....	84	9,880	20.6	25.7	5.8	---	681	208	675	74	581
Other types.....	6	104	.3	.1	.8	4	7	---	8	---	15
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	157	3,462	100.0	(3)	(3)	147	487	47	556	16	69
Independents.....	149	3,027	87.4	---	---	147	450	40	514	15	62
Chains.....	6	435	12.6	---	---	---	37	7	52	1	7
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	311	2,473	100.0	100.0	(3)	301	319	83	196	23	217
Independents.....	306	2,395	96.8	98.6	---	301	307	83	188	23	216
Chains.....	4	78	3.2	1.3	---	---	12	---	8	---	1
Other types.....	1	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	28	12,416	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	1,738	407	1,680	148	1,705
Independents.....	9	6,527	52.6	65.5	87.7	---	1,045	164	1,101	81	911
Chains.....	19	5,889	47.4	34.5	12.3	---	693	243	579	67	794
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	157	8,531	100.0	100.0	100.0	86	1,891	953	947	236	1,295
Independents.....	95	1,320	15.5	12.0	8.8	86	203	47	109	13	350
Chains.....	62	7,211	84.5	88.0	91.2	---	1,688	906	838	223	945
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	222	5,839	100.0	100.0	100.0	171	487	81	584	26	2,233
Independents.....	196	4,503	77.1	---	---	171	337	64	389	20	1,917
Chains.....	26	1,336	22.9	---	---	---	150	17	195	6	316
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	101	2,612	100.0	100.0	100.0	90	320	57	284	21	898
Independents.....	97	2,612	100.0	100.0	89.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	4	---	---	---	10.9	90	320	57	284	21	898
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	190	5,494	100.0	100.0	100.0	162	750	136	724	50	1,076
Independents.....	182	4,918	89.5	91.0	89.7	161	680	115	663	45	1,001
Chains.....	8	576	10.5	9.0	10.3	1	70	21	61	5	75
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	182	3,586	100.0	100.0	100.0	119	352	93	352	24	1,356
Independents.....	138	1,994	55.6	63.8	71.0	116	183	43	173	10	830
Chains.....	33	1,195	33.3	34.7	26.5	2	129	38	135	9	402
Leased departments.....	11	397	11.1	1.5	---	1	40	12	44	5	124
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	140	5,327	100.0	100.0	100.0	103	670	42	1,014	18	1,559
Independents.....	135	5,327	100.0	100.0	99.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	---	---	---	.8	103	670	42	1,014	18	1,559
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	90	2,169	100.0	(3)	(3)	30	261	31	351	17	389
Independents.....	33	496	22.9	---	---	30	63	18	63	13	83
Chains.....	9	285	13.1	---	---	---	68	---	88	---	36
Utility-operated stores.....	48	1,388	64.0	---	---	---	130	13	200	4	270
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	50	1,177	100.0	(3)	(3)	33	137	16	161	8	193
Independents.....	40	1,177	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	10	---	---	---	---	33	137	16	161	8	193
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	28	286	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	46	13	41	2	81
Independents.....	28	286	100.0	100.0	---	27	46	13	41	2	81
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MAINE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	304	\$34,681	100.0	100.0	(3)	213	2,314	79	\$2,995	\$45	\$3,729
Independents.....	297										
Chains.....	7	34,681	100.0	100.0		213	2,314	79	2,995	45	3,729
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	143	2,879	100.0	100.0	(3)	122	318	31	368	19	494
Independents.....	126	2,030	75.8	67.3		119	254	22	287	12	407
Chains.....	17	649	24.2	32.7		3	64	9	81	7	87
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	2,173	21,421	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,043	1,614	243	1,340	87	1,018
Independents.....	2,125	20,462	95.5	77.3	76.0	2,041	1,497	229	1,223	85	990
Chains.....	48	959	4.5	22.5	21.6	2	117	14	117	2	28
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2	2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	203	6,539	100.0	100.0	(3)	169	745	116	842	58	1,671
Independents.....	195										
Chains.....	8	6,539	100.0	100.0		169	745	116	842	58	1,671
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	51	542	100.0	100.0	(3)	42	84	10	92	4	155
Independents.....	46	408	75.3	85.1		42	67	10	68	4	119
Chains.....	5	134	24.7	16.9		—	17	—	24	—	36
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	211	5,024	100.0	100.0	100.0	160	514	39	587	20	1,907
Independents.....	200	4,805	95.6	100.0	93.5	160	494	38	570	20	1,865
Chains.....	10										
Other types.....	1	219	4.4	—	6.5	—	20	1	17	(2)	42
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,105	10,843	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,104	2,940	222	1,702	60	180
Independents.....	1,099	10,409	97.8	99.8	99.8	1,102	2,871	222	1,650	60	180
Chains.....	5										
Other types.....	1	234	2.2	—	.2	2	69	—	52	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	318	7,613	100.0	100.0	(3)	273	853	94	799	32	1,718
Independents.....	310										
Chains.....	8	7,613	100.0	100.0		273	853	94	799	32	1,718
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	77	1,102	100.0	100.0	(3)	65	112	14	104	4	297
Independents.....	69	894	81.1	100.0		64	78	10	76	4	252
Chains.....	8	208	18.9	—		1	34	4	28	(2)	45
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	71	5,600	100.0	100.0	—	28	167	11	236	5	331
Independents.....	32	204	3.6	3.7	—	28	13	5	7	2	13
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	39	5,396	96.4	96.3	—	—	154	6	229	3	318
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	552	11,251	100.0	100.0	100.0	485	1,593	329	1,543	163	1,188
Independents.....	546	11,006	97.8	99.3	99.7	484	1,560	327	1,511	162	1,160
Chains.....	2										
Other types.....	4	245	2.2	.7	.3	1	33	2	32	1	28
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	255	11,563	100.0	100.0	(3)	164	484	56	519	21	930
Independents.....	185	6,899	59.7	52.5		161	270	33	275	11	555
Chains.....	60	3,856	33.3	40.3		3	184	17	213	8	307
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	10	808	7.0	7.2		—	30	6	31	2	68
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	53	1,854	100.0	100.0	(3)	50	49	9	55	4	116
Independents.....	50	1,397	75.4	89.6		50	33	9	33	4	114
Chains.....	1										
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	457	24.6	10.4		—	16	—	22	—	2
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	118	2,091	100.0	100.0	100.0	106	227	24	283	10	851
Independents.....	111										
Chains.....	5	2,091	100.0	98.6	97.5	106	227	24	283	10	851
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.4	2.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	60	1,116	100.0	100.0	100.0	49	74	14	70	4	119
Independents.....	54	737	66.0	60.0	81.3	49	53	14	40	4	89
Chains.....	6	379	34.0	40.0	17.9	—	21	—	30	—	30
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	146	1,105	100.0	100.0	(3)	142	192	27	177	10	134
Independents.....	146	1,105	100.0	100.0		142	192	27	177	10	134
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	51	639	100.0	100.0	(3)	34	91	28	56	5	76
Independents.....	40										
Chains.....	11	639	100.0	83.8	16.2	34	91	28	56	5	76
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	2,627	33,257	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,439	3,874	746	3,388	264	6,121

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MARYLAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	25,566	\$619,273	100.0	100.0	100.0	23,774	70,750	12,575	\$68,079	\$4,412	\$61,590
Independents.....	23,819	475,828	76.8	74.7	76.8	23,632	53,476	8,045	49,893	2,718	47,274
Single-store.....	21,728	425,467	68.7	69.3	70.1	22,045	47,222	7,002	44,077	2,421	42,652
Multiunit.....	895	42,738	6.9	4.4	6.6	469	5,527	789	5,350	220	4,513
Market and roadside stands.....	1,148	6,851	1.1	.9	(1)	1,075	610	260	373	72	30
Leased departments—Independent.....	50	672	.1	.1	.1	43	117	14	83	3	59
Chains.....	1,546	132,817	21.5	23.9	19.1	63	15,785	4,354	14,284	1,632	13,452
Local chains.....	281	15,729	2.6	1.6	5.5	47	2,418	416	2,159	120	1,735
Sectional or national chains.....	1,010	109,632	17.7	21.9	12.6	14	12,177	3,839	10,824	1,476	11,006
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	206	6,211	1.0	.2	.7	2	1,001	62	1,114	23	577
Leased-department chains.....	49	1,245	.2	.2	.3	---	189	37	187	13	141
Other types.....	201	10,628	1.7	1.4	4.1	79	1,489	178	1,902	64	857
Utility-operated stores.....	40	3,562	.5	.8	.7	---	632	86	1,019	21	335
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	53	1,922	.3	.2	.2	35	508	55	529	26	72
Commissaries or company stores.....	5	162	(1)	.1	---	---	20	2	17	2	18
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	56	2,792	.5	.2	.1	---	184	15	161	9	208
Other types of operation.....	87	2,370	.4	.1	3.1	44	165	18	176	8	224
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,115	17,958	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,896	1,072	338	909	101	1,384
Independents.....	1,906	11,426	85.8	83.6	85.5	1,693	538	153	363	41	955
Chains.....	205	6,386	35.6	46.3	55.2	1	516	204	523	60	428
Other types.....	6	146	.8	.1	1.5	2	18	1	23	(5)	21
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	4,211	100,353	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,995	6,959	1,974	5,714	706	4,875
Independents.....	3,875	64,318	64.1	81.6	68.0	3,994	3,920	799	3,027	282	3,430
Chains.....	356	36,037	35.9	36.2	31.4	1	3,039	1,175	2,687	444	1,445
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		.2	.6							
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	267	17,201	100.0	(*)	(*)	152	2,308	83	3,259	27	201
Independents.....	175	15,577	90.6			152	1,968	57	2,977	18	189
Chains.....	92	1,624	9.4			---	342	26	282	9	12
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,615	7,995	100.0	100.0	(*)	1,556	591	141	329	40	230
Independents.....	1,575	7,347	91.9	89.6		1,555	455	129	240	56	224
Chains.....	40	648	8.1	10.4		1	136	12	89	4	6
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Department stores.....	46	83,133	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	11,489	2,275	12,397	959	11,487
Independents.....	29	46,896	56.4	65.2	71.4	13	8,114	1,407	9,023	446	8,669
Chains and mail-order.....	17	36,237	43.6	34.8	28.6	---	3,355	868	3,374	513	5,618
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	249	14,314	100.0	100.0	100.0	166	3,101	1,456	1,716	387	2,039
Independents.....	172	2,701	18.9	16.8	13.2	159	453	187	199	37	660
Chains.....	77	11,613	81.1	83.2	86.8	7	2,648	1,269	1,517	350	1,379
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	343	9,833	100.0	100.0	100.0	312	894	125	1,105	47	2,544
Independents.....	321	8,247	83.9	87.2	92.9	312	777	113	897	42	2,279
Chains.....	22	1,586	16.1	12.7	7.1	---	117	12	208	5	265
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	202	10,554	100.0	100.0	100.0	185	1,506	407	1,562	159	1,938
Independents.....	185	9,899	93.8	76.1	78.4	183	1,408	388	1,475	155	1,795
Chains.....	19	655	6.2	23.9	21.6	2	100	21	87	8	141
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	329	11,174	100.0	100.0	100.0	255	1,800	378	1,474	118	1,215
Independents.....	295	9,049	81.0	84.1	74.5	254	1,308	291	1,238	93	1,053
Chains.....	34	2,125	19.0	15.9	25.5	1	292	87	238	25	182
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		---	---	---						
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	251	7,907	100.0	100.0	100.0	157	868	250	929	92	1,607
Independents.....	164	4,078	51.6	51.5	60.2	150	463	99	509	29	1,134
Chains.....	79	3,614	45.7	46.3	33.7	5	380	141	396	59	814
Leased departments.....	8	215	2.7	2.2	---	2	25	10	24	4	59
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."		---	6.1	---						
Furniture stores.....	202	13,491	100.0	100.0	100.0	179	1,538	50	2,057	34	2,393
Independents.....	188	11,353	84.2	---	---	178	1,260	43	1,703	32	1,893
Chains.....	14	2,138	15.8	---	---	1	278	7	354	2	500
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."		---	6.9	---						
Household appliance dealers.....	87	2,330	100.0	(*)	(*)	28	441	103	471	29	232
Independents.....	33	789	33.8	---	---	28	122	15	123	7	71
Chains.....	19	589	25.3	---	---	---	148	2	193	1	83
Utility-operated stores.....	35	952	40.9	---	---	---	171	86	150	21	98
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		---	---	---						
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	65	4,080	100.0	(*)	(*)	64	653	11	1,083	5	497
Independents.....	61	1,655	40.6	---	---	62	181	11	201	5	251
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	4	2,425	59.4	---	---	2	472	---	882	---	246
Radio stores—other.....	22	280	100.0	100.0	100.0	22	30	5	30	1	57
Independents.....	21	280	100.0	---	88.4	22	30	5	30	1	57
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	11.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MARYLAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	376	\$87,919	100.0	100.0	(*)	336	4,574	102	\$5,730	\$59	\$5,655
Independents.....	372										
Chains.....	4	67,919	100.0	95.1		336	4,574	102	5,730	59	5,655
Other types.....	—	—	—	4.9		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	185	6,697	100.0	100.0	(*)	120	813	58	962	20	999
Independents.....	134	3,733	55.7	49.2		118	510	48	552	17	544
Chains.....	51	2,964	44.3	50.8		2	303	8	410	3	455
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	2,255	30,444	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,140	3,004	308	2,686	105	919
Independents.....	2,126	26,886	88.3	60.7	40.3	2,134	2,464	279	2,076	93	818
Chains.....	124	3,309	10.9	39.3	55.1	6	522	27	587	11	79
Other types.....	5	249	.8	—	4.1	—	18	2	23	1	22
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	180	19,165	100.0	100.0	(*)	142	1,736	151	2,170	108	3,330
Independents.....	176	19,165	100.0	100.0		142	1,736	151	2,170	108	3,330
Chains.....	4	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	94	1,359	100.0	100.0		77	151	14	182	6	285
Independents.....	88	1,115	82.0	73.1		77	123	12	142	6	242
Chains.....	6	244	18.0	26.9		—	28	2	40	(s)	43
Other types.....	One	store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	392	7,752	100.0	100.0	100.0	409	661	60	676	17	2,618
Independents.....	381	7,068	91.2	97.1	77.3	407	590	59	591	17	2,420
Chains.....	11	684	8.8	2.9		2	71	1	85	(s)	198
Other types.....	—	—	—	22.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,188	29,079	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,158	8,184	878	4,828	252	381
Independents.....	2,100	25,661	88.3	85.1	92.1	2,146	7,133	740	4,154	223	345
Chains.....	82	3,325	11.4	13.3	7.9	6	1,028	138	863	29	34
Other types.....	6	93	.3	1.6		6	23	—	11	—	2
Drug stores with fountain.....	550	20,225	100.0	100.0	(*)	461	2,803	635	2,286	214	2,467
Independents.....	480	12,091	59.3	53.7		459	1,751	481	1,335	166	1,681
Chains.....	70	8,134	40.2	46.3		2	1,052	154	951	48	808
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	120	3,174	100.0	100.0	(*)	151	380	115	306	43	578
Independents.....	162	2,316	73.0	100.0		148	300	96	234	39	404
Chains.....	18	858	27.0	—		3	80	19	72	4	174
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	192	4,712	100.0	100.0	—	163	235	28	248	11	616
Independents.....	178	3,674	78.0	91.9	—	163	162	22	164	8	485
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	14	1,038	22.0	8.1	—	—	73	6	84	3	131
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	609	14,692	100.0	100.0	100.0	578	1,690	338	1,688	164	833
Independents.....	596	13,542	92.2	87.8	85.8	573	1,556	324	1,492	156	781
Chains.....	8	1,138	7.7	11.3		—	129	12	193	7	52
Other types.....	5	12	.1	.4	14.2	5	5	2	3	1	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	215	10,457	100.0	100.0	(*)	184	547	62	489	22	1,036
Independents.....	187	8,356	79.9	92.5		184	440	47	387	14	868
Chains.....	3	—	—	7.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	25	2,101	20.1	—		—	107	15	102	8	188
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	51	1,699	100.0	100.0	(*)	38	134	24	124	8	195
Independents.....	46	1,417	83.4	79.9		35	120	24	111	8	178
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	—	—	19.9		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	3	282	16.8	.2		3	14	—	13	—	19
Jewelry stores.....	162	6,115	100.0	100.0	100.0	143	641	21	1,030	10	1,593
Independents.....	151	4,529	74.1	71.0	79.3	143	452	21	664	10	1,375
Chains.....	11	1,588	25.9	29.0	20.5	—	189	—	366	—	218
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	107	2,129	100.0	100.0	100.0	89	124	23	111	8	145
Independents.....	97	1,617	76.0	73.2	93.1	89	90	23	68	8	107
Chains.....	10	512	24.0	26.2	6.9	—	34	—	43	—	36
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	273	1,930	100.0	100.0	(*)	269	308	34	286	11	100
Independents.....	273	1,930	100.0	100.0		269	308	34	286	11	100
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	71	754	100.0	100.0	(*)	60	105	40	60	10	17
Independents.....	83	—	—	71.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	8	754	100.0	28.7		60	105	40	60	10	17
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	7,482	90,388	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,276	11,630	2,090	9,182	639	8,928

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Less than \$500.

4 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

BALTIMORE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	14,116	\$380,103	100.0	100.0	100.0	13,058	46,238	7,894	\$45,345	\$2,985	\$34,767
Independents.....	13,116	283,968	74.7	72.7	72.8	12,974	34,564	5,087	33,957	1,786	24,525
Single-store.....	11,636	250,848	88.0	66.6	64.8	11,762	30,404	4,347	29,963	1,571	22,027
Multiunit.....	446	25,919	8.8	4.7	7.9	237	3,484	486	3,580	144	2,589
Market and roadside stands.....	993	6,844	1.7	1.5	—	939	580	248	360	69	89
Leased departments—Independent.....	41	557	.2	.1	.1	36	96	6	54	2	20
Chains.....	940	91,279	24.0	26.1	21.5	48	10,746	2,757	10,063	1,179	9,893
Local chains.....	215	15,057	5.4	2.4	7.2	43	2,007	350	1,816	104	1,405
Sectional or national chains.....	536	72,277	19.0	25.3	12.9	3	7,773	2,336	7,173	1,047	7,946
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	155	4,984	1.3	.2	1.0	2	822	44	927	18	441
Leased-department chains.....	32	961	.3	.2	.4	—	144	27	147	10	103
Other types.....	60	4,856	1.3	1.2	5.7	36	928	50	1,325	20	549
Utility-operated stores.....	2	—	—	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	35	—	—	.3	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	3,857	1.0	—	—	20	866	44	1,260	18	278
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	2	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types of operation.....	21	999	.3	(2)	5.5	16	62	6	65	2	73
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	786	8,605	100.0	100.0	100.0	639	554	179	516	49	504
Independents.....	639	4,023	46.8	42.4	—	638	206	43	147	11	187
Chains.....	147	4,582	53.2	57.6	100.0	1	348	135	369	38	317
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,234	51,535	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,149	3,460	993	2,601	405	1,856
Independents.....	2,099	34,886	67.7	68.4	71.8	2,149	2,017	425	1,587	182	1,178
Chains.....	135	16,669	32.3	31.5	28.2	—	1,443	568	1,214	243	678
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	162	13,788	100.0	(3)	(3)	75	1,655	50	2,570	10	151
Independents.....	91	12,349	89.6	—	—	75	1,356	14	2,315	4	159
Chains.....	71	1,439	10.4	—	—	—	299	18	255	6	12
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,324	6,364	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,276	395	99	228	30	185
Independents.....	1,292	5,849	91.9	87.1	—	1,275	292	80	157	27	159
Chains.....	32	515	8.1	12.7	—	1	103	9	71	3	6
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	28	77,285	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	10,713	2,117	11,673	918	10,552
Independents.....	22	44,241	57.2	84.7	—	7	7,733	1,377	8,613	433	5,583
Chains and mail-order.....	8	33,044	42.8	35.3	100.0	—	2,980	740	3,060	485	5,189
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	132	8,247	100.0	100.0	100.0	101	1,722	804	1,009	242	1,028
Independents.....	98	1,316	16.0	14.1	10.1	95	216	85	102	19	280
Chains.....	34	6,931	84.0	85.9	89.9	6	1,506	719	907	223	746
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	237	6,981	100.0	100.0	100.0	211	667	69	871	30	1,566
Independents.....	218	5,632	80.7	92.5	90.4	211	561	56	678	25	1,342
Chains.....	19	1,349	19.3	7.5	9.6	—	106	13	193	5	224
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	114	8,249	100.0	100.0	100.0	104	1,199	284	1,377	150	1,175
Independents.....	102	7,841	95.1	79.7	—	102	1,142	271	1,333	126	1,071
Chains.....	12	408	4.9	20.3	—	2	57	13	44	4	104
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	220	7,934	100.0	100.0	100.0	163	1,164	272	1,123	82	807
Independents.....	196	6,331	79.8	82.7	89.9	162	939	208	941	88	689
Chains.....	24	1,603	20.2	17.3	28.1	1	225	64	182	14	118
Other types.....	—	—	—	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	188	8,309	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	701	189	777	74	1,278
Independents.....	127	3,195	50.6	50.1	55.9	121	384	74	426	21	796
Chains.....	55	2,953	46.8	47.2	36.9	4	297	106	331	49	439
Leased departments.....	6	161	2.6	2.7	—	1	20	9	20	4	43
Other types.....	—	—	—	7.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	107	10,097	100.0	100.0	100.0	91	1,130	28	1,574	28	1,816
Independents.....	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	3	10,097	100.0	100.0	73.1	91	1,130	28	1,574	28	1,616
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	26.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	23	895	100.0	(3)	(3)	10	134	10	180	6	65
Independents.....	12	254	35.8	—	—	10	40	8	45	5	17
Chains.....	11	441	65.4	—	—	—	94	2	135	1	48
Utility-operated stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	19	2,788	100.0	(3)	(3)	20	481	5	881	2	285
Independents.....	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	2,786	100.0	—	—	20	481	5	881	2	285
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	8	187	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	19	3	22	1	28
Independents.....	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	187	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	19	3	22	1	28
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

BALTIMORE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	66	\$30,106	100.0	100.0	(3)	46	1,964	11	\$2,615	\$6	\$1,987
Independents.....	64			91.6							
Chains.....	4	30,106	100.0	6.4		46	1,964	11	2,615	6	1,987
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	69	4,502	100.0	100.0	(3)	62	538	43	639	15	663
Independents.....	65	2,403	53.4	49.0		62	331	41	349	14	312
Chains.....	24	2,099	46.6	51.0		—	207	2	290	1	351
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	575	13,039	100.0	100.0	100.0	530	1,427	97	1,441	37	291
Independents.....	500	11,022	84.5	40.2	21.2	527	1,070	66	1,017	33	250
Chains.....	75	2,017	15.5	59.8	78.8	3	357	11	424	4	41
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	51	6,028	100.0	100.0	(3)	37	496	39	663	26	766
Independents.....	51	6,028	100.0	100.0		37	496	39	663	26	766
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	55	793	100.0	100.0	(3)	48	96	5	119	1	168
Independents.....	51	559	70.5	72.4		48	72	5	62	1	126
Chains.....	4	234	29.5	27.6		—	24	—	37	—	42
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores *.....	231	3,218	100.0	100.0	100.0	233	251	14	263	5	956
Independents.....	227			100.0							
Chains.....	4	3,218	100.0	100.0		233	251	14	263	5	956
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,179	18,413	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,153	5,427	506	3,319	174	219
Independents.....	1,123	15,676	85.1	61.8	90.2	1,146	4,582	399	2,770	150	186
Chains.....	53	2,649	14.4	17.5	9.8	4	626	107	539	24	31
Other types.....	3	66	.5	.7	—	3	19	—	10	—	2
Drug stores with fountain.....	350	12,761	100.0	100.0	(3)	302	1,873	482	1,456	161	1,418
Independents.....	309	7,622	59.7	54.1		300	1,173	349	665	116	904
Chains.....	41	5,139	40.3	45.9		2	700	133	593	43	514
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	120	2,251	100.0	100.0	(3)	99	264	93	228	36	315
Independents.....	108	1,553	69.0	100.0		96	222	60	172	33	231
Chains.....	12	698	31.0			3	62	13	56	3	84
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	115	2,630	100.0	100.0	—	104	114	16	118	6	363
Independents.....	113			100.0	—						
Chains.....	—			—	—						
State liquor stores.....	—	2,630	100.0	—	—	104	114	16	118	6	363
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	363	10,161	100.0	100.0	100.0	338	1,069	213	1,096	106	510
Independents.....	356	9,760	96.1	66.0	100.0	334	1,054	210	1,053	104	496
Chains.....	3	391	3.8	13.9		—	30	1	40	1	12
Other types.....	4	10	.1	.1	—	4	5	2	3	1	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	21	995	100.0	100.0	(3)	17	67	4	86	1	69
Independents.....	21	995	100.0	100.0		17	67	4	86	1	69
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	9	346	100.0	100.0	(3)	6	31	6	36	2	89
Independents.....	6										
Chains.....	—	346	100.0	100.0		8	31	6	36	2	69
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	103	5,079	100.0	100.0	100.0	66	538	6	905	3	1,203
Independents.....	94	3,520	69.3	63.7	76.6	66	352	6	542	3	994
Chains.....	9	1,559	30.7	36.3		—	186	—	363	—	209
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	23.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	92	1,938	100.0	100.0	100.0	73	106	17	102	6	130
Independents.....	62	1,424	73.8	65.9	100.0	73	72	17	59	6	94
Chains.....	10	512	26.4	34.1		—	34	—	43	—	38
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	186	1,307	100.0	100.0	(3)	189	201	24	161	7	43
Independents.....	186	1,307	100.0	100.0		189	201	24	161	7	43
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	47	317	100.0	100.0	(3)	41	41	14	24	4	6
Independents.....	41			41.2							
Chains.....	6	317	100.0	58.6		41	41	14	24	4	6
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	4,880	57,179	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,713	7,701	1,223	6,250	382	4,497

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Includes two farm implement-tractor-hardware dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MASSACHUSETTS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	59,217	\$1,737,680	100.0	100.0	100.0	47,558	203,312	42,270	\$212,966	\$18,464	\$178,800
Independents.....	52,208	1,254,028	72.2	68.2	74.2	47,078	142,748	23,821	153,099	9,622	134,287
Single-store.....	48,994	1,070,427	81.8	58.5	80.5	45,511	118,508	20,315	124,821	8,174	113,831
Multiunit.....	2,690	176,593	10.2	9.5	13.7	1,133	23,237	3,196	37,437	1,358	20,088
Market and roadside stands.....	368	2,398	.1	.1	(1)	328	473	124	351	36	38
Leased departments—Independent.....	158	4,610	.3	.1	(1)	106	530	188	490	54	310
Chains.....	8,345	458,840	26.3	30.5	24.0	91	57,142	17,522	55,744	8,336	40,078
Local chains.....	1,360	88,949	5.1	1.9	6.5	65	11,507	2,072	12,915	729	5,789
Sectional or national chains.....	4,281	332,465	19.1	27.8	16.3	22	41,442	14,853	37,819	5,391	30,707
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	420	25,943	1.5	.3	1.0	1	2,807	206	3,834	94	2,518
Leased-department chains.....	284	9,483	.6	.5	.2	3	1,386	391	1,178	122	1,038
Other types.....	664	28,812	1.5	1.3	1.8	389	3,422	927	4,123	506	2,255
Utility-operated stores.....	170	7,143	.4	.4	.2	9	1,191	543	1,321	334	1,124
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	228	6,977	.4	.5	.2	184	1,333	225	1,646	113	259
Commissaries or company stores.....	One store cmbd with "Other types of operation."					(1)	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	50	4,831	.3	.1	.1	---	588	38	488	18	418
Other types of operation.....	218	7,881	.4	.3	1.3	196	510	121	670	41	458
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	7,276	100,020	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,251	7,038	2,677	8,737	944	8,594
Independents.....	5,274	41,215	41.2	45.2	30.8	5,242	1,819	590	1,308	192	2,102
Chains.....	1,990	58,803	58.7	54.8	69.2	3	5,212	2,085	5,424	752	4,478
Other types.....	12	122	.1	(1)	.4	8	7	2	7	(3)	6
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	6,871	259,221	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,093	22,820	7,263	21,014	2,614	14,578
Independents.....	6,067	152,723	58.9	51.5	64.6	8,068	11,788	2,771	10,956	1,030	8,006
Chains.....	777	105,451	40.7	48.3	35.0	13	10,927	4,473	9,955	1,580	8,459
Other types.....	27	1,047	.4	.2	.4	12	105	19	103	4	113
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	905	51,366	100.0	(*)	(*)	659	5,542	489	8,296	208	880
Independents.....	872	21,908	42.7	73.1	72.9	650	2,926	249	3,878	119	234
Chains.....	226	29,124	58.7	2	2	2	2,570	238	4,555	86	418
Other types.....	7	334	.6	7	46	7	2	2	63	3	8
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	2,372	18,438	100.0	100.0	(*)	2,152	1,976	705	1,328	258	845
Independents.....	2,206	14,816	80.3	81.6	---	2,145	1,286	473	828	170	587
Chains.....	183	3,807	19.6	16.8	---	4	688	230	502	88	57
Other types.....	3	13	.1	1.6	---	3	2	2	(3)	(3)	1
Department stores.....	153	172,300	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	25,793	4,677	28,433	2,185	22,649
Independents.....	51	124,878	72.5	73.1	72.9	4	19,521	2,330	22,749	984	18,055
Chains and mail-order.....	102	47,422	27.5	28.9	27.1	---	6,272	2,347	5,684	1,201	8,594
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	489	37,234	100.0	100.0	100.0	224	8,285	4,388	4,778	1,275	4,513
Independents.....	255	2,719	7.3	4.4	3.7	224	380	139	229	38	534
Chains.....	234	34,515	92.7	95.6	96.3	---	7,905	4,229	4,547	1,237	3,979
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	927	38,528	100.0	100.0	100.0	810	3,615	832	5,172	254	9,138
Independents.....	839	26,781	73.3	69.0	74.9	809	2,838	465	3,721	176	7,535
Chains.....	88	9,747	28.7	31.0	21.5	1	977	187	1,451	78	1,803
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	349	12,231	100.0	100.0	100.0	242	1,531	358	1,502	111	2,815
Independents.....	298	9,343	76.4	71.3	85.7	234	1,115	252	1,142	80	2,227
Chains.....	45	2,821	23.1	27.4	13.8	3	410	106	351	31	375
Other types.....	6	67	.5	1.3	.5	5	6	---	9	---	13
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,037	47,272	100.0	100.0	100.0	757	8,542	1,295	6,892	466	5,592
Independents.....	944	35,045	74.1	86.5	80.0	751	4,835	879	4,926	318	4,487
Chains.....	87	12,130	25.7	13.5	19.8	4	1,890	415	1,743	148	1,123
Other types.....	6	97	.2	---	.2	2	17	1	23	(3)	2
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	1,102	32,531	100.0	100.0	100.0	666	3,038	821	3,571	278	7,189
Independents.....	792	13,398	41.2	45.2	58.7	654	1,252	323	1,430	95	3,921
Chains.....	235	13,238	40.7	44.3	32.3	2	1,358	434	1,540	159	2,441
Leased departments.....	68	2,824	8.7	6.5	---	8	313	61	317	22	599
Other types.....	7	3,071	9.4	4.0	9.0	4	115	3	284	(3)	228
Furniture stores.....	723	38,183	100.0	100.0	100.0	469	4,099	299	6,045	144	8,346
Independents.....	676	32,563	90.0	87.3	92.6	466	3,653	273	5,292	135	7,734
Chains.....	44	3,512	9.7	12.7	7.4	2	430	24	715	7	602
Other types.....	3	108	.3	---	---	1	16	2	38	2	10
Household appliance dealers.....	314	11,575	100.0	(*)	(*)	80	2,015	592	2,421	370	1,681
Independents.....	95	2,208	19.1	---	---	78	306	54	371	37	295
Chains.....	57	2,290	19.8	---	---	---	520	4	720	2	285
Utility-operated stores.....	155	6,812	58.8	---	---	1	1,150	529	1,280	329	1,071
Other types.....	7	285	2.3	---	---	3	39	5	50	2	10
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	174	4,608	100.0	(*)	(*)	150	453	52	562	22	804
Independents.....	168	4,361	94.6	---	---	150	423	41	523	20	570
Chains.....	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	247	5.4	---	---	---	30	11	39	2	34
Radio stores—other.....	87	2,143	100.0	100.0	100.0	81	233	15	347	7	423
Independents.....	87	2,143	100.0	92.5	88.9	81	233	15	347	7	423
Chains.....	---	---	---	7.5	10.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MASSACHUSETTS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	941	\$158,426	100.0	100.0	(*)	554	9,683	210	\$14,044	\$157	\$14,888
Independents.....	923	154,221	97.3	94.6		554	9,390	209	13,568	158	14,428
Chains.....	18	4,205	2.7	5.4		---	293	1	476	1	442
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	515	19,798	100.0	100.0	(*)	307	1,972	137	2,898	73	2,609
Independents.....	554	11,094	58.0	59.1		306	1,137	85	1,522	41	1,497
Chains.....	161	8,704	44.0	40.9		1	835	52	1,178	32	1,112
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	5,746	84,501	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,389	8,756	1,295	6,673	517	2,849
Independents.....	5,475	75,592	89.4	88.8	61.8	5,382	8,873	1,266	5,545	504	2,303
Chains.....	267	8,763	10.4	31.2	37.7	7	870	28	1,118	13	538
Other types.....	4	146	.2	---	.5	---	13	1	12	(3)	8
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	439	39,961	100.0	100.0	(*)	247	3,772	339	6,002	232	9,152
Independents.....	422	36,946	92.5	---	---	247	3,520	337	5,849	231	8,584
Chains.....	17	3,015	7.5	100.0	---	---	252	2	453	1	568
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	330	6,082	100.0	100.0	(*)	223	739	90	986	73	1,225
Independents.....	274	4,352	71.7	78.9		221	550	89	714	72	909
Chains.....	56	1,720	28.3	23.1		2	189	1	272	1	318
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	853	22,623	100.0	100.0	100.0	578	2,228	195	2,895	99	6,897
Independents.....	788	19,753	87.2	87.2	91.7	578	1,957	174	2,532	90	5,970
Chains.....	65	2,890	12.8	12.8	8.3	---	269	21	363	9	727
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	5,259	111,919	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,601	29,723	4,124	22,932	1,412	1,523
Independents.....	4,915	88,593	79.1	75.7	76.0	4,591	23,486	3,298	17,749	1,145	1,399
Chains.....	337	23,247	20.8	23.8	24.0	6	8,212	818	5,168	265	123
Other types.....	7	79	.1	.5	---	4	25	8	15	2	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	1,815	55,581	100.0	100.0	(*)	1,247	6,119	810	6,750	349	9,188
Independents.....	1,686	42,437	78.4	75.0	---	1,242	4,598	769	5,063	333	7,491
Chains.....	149	13,124	23.6	25.0	---	5	1,531	41	1,897	16	1,695
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	327	7,790	100.0	100.0	(*)	219	785	97	880	44	1,597
Independents.....	287	5,725	73.5	---	---	219	584	89	641	38	1,324
Chains.....	40	2,065	26.5	100.0	---	---	201	8	239	6	273
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	950	29,216	100.0	100.0	---	507	1,852	232	2,673	106	3,777
Independents.....	948	29,216	100.0	99.7	---	507	1,852	232	2,673	106	3,777
Chains.....	2	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	2,251	94,220	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,977	8,191	1,367	10,934	936	6,050
Independents.....	2,155	75,494	80.1	75.7	87.7	1,945	6,928	1,159	9,062	819	4,661
Chains.....	65	18,447	19.6	23.9	11.9	1	1,229	198	1,818	112	1,371
Other types.....	31	289	.3	.4	.4	31	36	10	34	5	18
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	307	22,979	100.0	100.0	(*)	142	1,179	149	1,559	93	1,802
Independents.....	178	10,596	46.1	46.2	---	142	595	80	748	40	777
Chains.....	118	10,844	46.3	52.5	---	---	538	58	757	45	928
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	11	1,739	7.8	1.3	---	---	46	11	54	8	97
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	35	2,282	100.0	100.0	(*)	22	252	18	304	9	338
Independents.....	34	2,282	100.0	88.8	---	22	252	18	304	9	338
Chains.....	1	---	---	4.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	6.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	553	17,491	100.0	100.0	100.0	423	1,895	212	2,710	87	5,752
Independents.....	520	14,543	83.1	86.7	91.8	422	1,510	143	2,222	59	5,218
Chains.....	33	2,948	16.9	13.0	6.6	1	385	89	488	28	536
Other types.....	---	---	---	.3	1.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	728	11,728	100.0	100.0	100.0	596	657	123	711	40	821
Independents.....	859	7,984	68.1	54.5	87.4	596	454	115	429	38	551
Chains.....	69	3,744	31.9	44.4	32.6	---	203	8	282	4	270
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	900	8,539	100.0	100.0	(*)	867	1,309	285	1,328	130	588
Independents.....	900	8,539	100.0	100.0	---	867	1,309	285	1,328	130	588
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	442	7,948	100.0	100.0	(*)	250	1,787	871	881	159	338
Independents.....	271	4,641	58.4	65.8	---	248	978	690	409	116	280
Chains.....	171	3,307	41.8	34.0	.2	2	809	181	472	43	58
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	14,047	214,988	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,951	31,455	7,473	31,110	2,816	22,451

- * Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
 1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
 2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."
 3 Less than \$500.
 4 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

BOSTON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	11,617	\$490,396	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,781	64,516	9,498	\$73,776	\$4,317	\$51,332
Independents.....	10,190	349,008	71.2	67.0	(1)	6,679	45,600	5,063	53,515	2,303	38,040
Single-store.....	9,614	267,037	54.5	54.5		6,429	34,130	3,653	39,151	1,769	28,609
Multiunit.....	508	60,107	18.3	12.5		198	11,264	1,160	14,180	522	6,305
Market and roadside stands.....	10	308	.1	(2)		10	50	—	54	—	3
Leased departments—Independent.....	58	1,556	.3	(2)		42	156	50	130	12	123
Chains.....	1,496	135,256	27.6	32.0	(1)	15	18,018	4,294	19,059	1,927	12,768
Local chains.....	375	31,595	6.4	3.0		6	4,937	698	5,379	309	1,758
Sectional or national chains.....	966	69,107	18.2	27.6		7	11,572	3,250	11,573	1,549	9,696
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	96	10,735	2.2	.5		1	1,025	59	1,654	40	987
Leased-department chains.....	57	3,621	.6	.7		1	484	67	453	29	343
Other types.....	131	6,130	1.2	1.0	(1)	67	698	141	1,202	67	526
Utility-operated stores.....	22	1,280	.3	.3		2	218	8	371	7	256
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	93	3,150	.6	.4		77	543	122	692	77	94
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	2	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types of operation.....	14	1,700	.3	.3		6	137	11	139	3	176
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,620	26,985	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,376	1,668	665	1,724	220	1,538
Independents.....	1,358	12,496	46.3	52.3	27.7	1,376	554	162	409	53	479
Chains.....	462	14,489	53.7	47.7	72.1	—	1,314	503	1,315	167	1,059
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	744	33,698	100.0	100.0	100.0	623	3,549	1,231	3,309	510	1,601
Independents.....	644	20,221	60.0	44.1	53.5	623	1,971	536	1,663	272	621
Chains.....	100	13,477	40.0	55.9	46.5	—	1,576	693	1,426	238	980
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	60	9,886	100.0	(1)	(1)	13	877	67	1,524	56	119
Independents.....	23	1,434	14.5	—	—	13	179	34	257	35	9
Chains.....	57	6,452	65.5	—	—	—	696	53	1,267	21	110
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	458	4,081	100.0	100.0	(1)	403	425	125	332	52	77
Independents.....	408	2,762	68.2	66.4	—	403	200	55	151	22	60
Chains.....	52	1,299	31.8	28.6	—	—	225	70	181	30	17
Other types.....	—	—	—	5.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	24	107,081	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	15,332	1,535	18,692	971	13,388
Independents.....	10	85,244	79.6	61.4	66.7	—	12,915	919	16,139	358	9,909
Chains and mail-order.....	14	21,637	20.4	18.6	13.3	—	2,417	616	2,753	613	3,479
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	88	6,326	100.0	100.0	100.0	44	1,722	641	1,132	287	693
Independents.....	46	393	4.7	2.3	2.3	44	44	16	29	6	58
Chains.....	42	7,935	95.3	97.7	97.7	—	1,676	625	1,103	281	635
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	214	14,269	100.0	100.0	100.0	123	1,461	152	2,342	64	3,107
Independents.....	184	7,753	54.3	47.0	66.2	122	615	64	1,321	43	2,056
Chains.....	30	6,516	45.7	53.0	26.3	1	648	88	1,021	41	1,051
Other types.....	—	—	—	5.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	73	3,246	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	404	65	418	23	560
Independents.....	61	2,269	69.9	96.5	62.8	46	265	50	306	13	422
Chains.....	6	910	28.0	17.2	—	3	113	35	103	10	125
Other types.....	6	67	2.1	1.5	—	5	6	—	9	—	13
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	248	18,963	100.0	100.0	100.0	170	2,686	416	3,093	201	2,014
Independents.....	233	15,738	82.9	90.6	91.0	169	2,305	330	2,647	156	1,747
Chains.....	15	3,245	17.1	9.4	9.0	1	383	66	446	45	267
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	242	9,746	100.0	100.0	100.0	133	952	157	1,304	68	2,081
Independents.....	171	3,537	36.3	29.1	44.7	128	336	52	484	19	641
Chains.....	61	4,622	49.5	56.1	45.0	1	532	99	711	47	1,013
Leased departments.....	7	642	6.6	6.1	—	1	53	3	74	2	118
Other types.....	3	745	7.6	6.7	10.3	3	29	3	35	(4)	111
Furniture stores.....	151	9,248	100.0	100.0	100.0	65	1,102	45	1,712	20	1,670
Independents.....	141	7,793	84.3	100.0	96.0	64	646	36	1,279	16	1,618
Chains.....	10	1,455	15.7	—	4.0	1	256	9	433	2	252
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	51	2,525	100.0	(1)	(1)	12	410	12	697	8	363
Independents.....	19	548	21.7	—	—	11	91	4	133	1	47
Chains.....	11	703	27.6	—	—	—	101	—	193	—	61
Utility-operated stores.....	21	1,274	50.5	—	—	1	218	6	371	7	255
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	21	731	100.0	(1)	(1)	18	72	4	92	2	74
Independents.....	20	—	100.0	—	—	18	72	4	92	2	74
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	24	1,310	100.0	100.0	100.0	19	142	2	235	1	251
Independents.....	24	1,310	100.0	100.0	60.2	19	142	2	235	1	251
Chains.....	—	—	—	19.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

BOSTON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	70	\$24,962	100.0	100.0	(1)	27	1,346	9	\$2,367	\$10	\$2,229
Independents.....	69			90.8							
Chains.....	1	24,962	100.0	9.4		27	1,346	9	2,367	10	2,229
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	88	5,307	100.0	100.0	(1)	58	505	21	784	19	553
Independents.....	70	3,448	84.9	57.1		58	330	16	518	14	350
Chains.....	18	1,861	35.1	42.9			175	5	266	5	223
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	531	11,110	100.0	100.0	100.0	479	997	110	1,126	51	233
Independents.....	502	10,155	91.4	53.5	44.5	479	877	106	956	48	211
Chains.....	29	955	8.6	46.5	55.5		120	4	170	3	22
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	51	6,133	100.0	100.0	(1)	29	553	34	994	20	1,352
Independents.....	48			100.0							
Chains.....	3	6,133	100.0			29	553	34	994	20	1,352
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	58	1,392	100.0	100.0	(1)	43	169	12	277	8	257
Independents.....	46	831	60.1	85.4		42	116	11	193	7	137
Chains.....	12	551	39.9	34.6		1	53	1	84	1	120
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	174	5,010	100.0	100.0	100.0	118	454	32	863	16	1,135
Independents.....	169			95.2							
Chains.....	5	5,010	100.0	4.8	100.0	118	454	32	863	16	1,135
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,256	43,982	100.0	100.0	100.0	919	12,312	1,494	9,765	517	538
Independents.....	1,050	28,601	65.0	59.7	64.5	918	8,048	792	6,335	283	467
Chains.....	206	15,381	35.0	39.8	35.5	1	4,264	702	3,430	234	71
Other types.....				.5							
Drug stores with fountain.....	425	14,044	100.0	100.0	(1)	263	1,685	191	1,854	103	2,097
Independents.....	389	9,910	70.6	67.6		263	1,179	191	1,298	103	1,582
Chains.....	36	4,134	29.4	32.4			506		556		515
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	66	2,072	100.0	100.0	(1)	31	243	12	315	6	497
Independents.....	48	1,095	52.8	98.7		31	135	8	185	4	315
Chains.....	18	977	47.2	1.3			108	4	130	2	152
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	218	8,334	100.0	100.0		52	570	38	831	16	1,132
Independents.....	216			99.3							
Chains.....	2	8,334	100.0	.7		52	570	38	831	16	1,132
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	332	23,545	100.0	100.0	100.0	275	1,863	304	2,516	209	1,385
Independents.....	300	12,427	52.8	61.5		262	1,075	151	1,533	137	535
Chains.....	20	11,079	47.0	38.5	100.0		583	149	981	71	850
Other types.....	12	39	.2			13	5	4	2	1	
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	3	378	100.0	100.0	(1)	1	28	4	42	2	20
Independents.....	3	378	100.0	100.0		1	26	4	42	2	20
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	5	453	100.0	100.0	(1)	2	34	1	55	1	18
Independents.....	4			100.0							
Chains.....	1	453	100.0			2	34	1	55	1	18
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	150	7,775	100.0	100.0	100.0	118	823	84	1,317	30	2,763
Independents.....	138	6,069	78.1	79.5	94.2	117	610	31	1,019	16	2,429
Chains.....	12	1,708	21.9	20.5	5.6	1	213	33	298	14	334
Other types.....				.2							
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	271	4,874	100.0	100.0	100.0	210	279	40	325	14	334
Independents.....	238	3,244	66.4	53.1	64.8	210	189	34	211	11	232
Chains.....	33	1,430	30.6	48.9	35.2		90	6	114	3	102
Other types.....											
Florists.....	141	1,793	100.0	100.0	(1)	133	276	50	306	16	94
Independents.....	141	1,793	100.0	100.0		133	276	50	306	16	94
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	132	2,598	100.0	100.0	(1)	38	581	164	362	39	59
Independents.....	44	413	15.9	14.8		38	124	71	66	15	9
Chains.....	88	2,183	84.1	84.5	.7		457	93	296	24	50
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	3,808	78,729	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,912	10,996	1,561	13,071	737	8,530

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Comparable data not available.

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MICHIGAN

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	67,414	\$1,820,798	100.0	100.0	100.0	61,129	198,018	39,565	\$204,028	\$15,075	\$197,524
Independents.....	60,951	1,312,288	72.1	70.3	74.8	60,787	138,757	22,698	143,864	9,108	157,150
Single-store.....	58,784	1,157,533	83.6	82.1	86.5	58,367	121,855	20,855	123,344	8,327	137,374
Multiunit.....	3,180	148,775	8.2	8.0	8.3	1,573	18,184	1,837	19,903	709	19,359
Market and roadside stands.....	772	2,485	.1	.1	(1)	643	270	108	201	37	32
Leased departments--independent.....	215	3,495	.2	.1	(1)	184	448	96	418	33	385
Chains.....	5,734	453,761	24.9	28.8	23.9	174	54,044	16,044	54,241	5,709	34,847
Local chains.....	1,542	78,367	4.2	3.8	8.0	124	9,242	1,571	9,650	492	5,493
Sectional or national chains.....	3,424	327,953	18.0	21.4	14.4	37	39,033	13,478	37,593	4,819	25,271
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	422	38,417	2.1	.4	1.1	---	4,258	576	5,818	243	3,273
Leased-department chains.....	346	11,024	.6	1.0	.4	13	1,511	419	1,380	155	810
Other types.....	729	54,749	3.0	3.1	1.3	188	5,217	825	5,921	260	5,527
Utility-operated stores.....	170	8,567	.5	.5	.3	9	1,200	155	1,582	70	1,050
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	144	8,195	.3	.6	.2	85	1,859	411	1,852	118	3,209
Commissaries or company stores.....	15	2,734	.2	.2	.4	---	201	19	307	4	399
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	211	13,118	.7	.5	.3	---	1,236	205	1,221	55	1,555
Other types of operation.....	189	24,135	1.3	1.3	.1	94	721	35	959	13	2,194
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,126	73,794	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,952	6,045	1,357	5,471	400	4,711
Independents.....	3,911	32,598	44.2	36.4	39.2	3,927	1,806	531	1,225	154	3,145
Chains.....	1,198	40,817	55.3	63.0	60.1	18	4,186	811	4,208	245	1,530
Other types.....	17	379	.5	.6	.7	7	53	15	40	1	38
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	9,064	247,183	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,630	17,633	5,484	15,552	1,793	14,488
Independents.....	8,192	140,924	57.0	60.4	59.5	8,591	9,530	2,105	8,003	721	10,840
Chains.....	858	104,928	42.5	39.4	40.3	20	7,943	3,547	7,412	1,064	3,489
Other types.....	34	1,331	.5	.2	.2	19	160	32	137	8	137
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	858	35,993	100.0	(2)	(2)	585	5,787	498	8,503	217	381
Independents.....	596	17,185	47.7	---	---	569	2,790	219	3,765	100	174
Chains.....	255	18,159	50.5	---	---	14	2,885	279	4,602	117	182
Other types.....	7	649	1.8	---	---	2	102	---	138	---	25
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,964	13,688	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,881	1,826	564	1,375	235	393
Independents.....	1,901	7,298	53.3	57.6	---	1,881	696	238	350	80	355
Chains.....	63	6,388	48.7	40.1	---	---	1,130	328	1,025	155	38
Other types.....	---	---	2.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	149	173,138	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	23,200	4,821	28,117	2,344	18,657
Independents.....	45	109,625	63.3	67.9	80.5	13	15,973	2,041	20,891	1,102	11,295
Chains.....	104	63,513	36.7	32.1	19.2	---	7,227	2,780	7,226	1,242	7,362
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	739	49,280	100.0	100.0	100.0	381	9,878	4,813	6,347	1,679	6,447
Independents.....	424	6,583	13.0	7.5	9.3	372	1,095	537	608	81	1,813
Chains.....	315	42,677	87.0	92.5	90.7	9	8,783	4,478	5,739	1,598	4,634
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	948	35,562	100.0	100.0	100.0	777	3,055	578	4,298	286	9,590
Independents.....	858	26,307	74.0	75.1	70.1	773	2,365	458	3,299	194	8,144
Chains.....	112	9,255	26.0	24.9	28.1	4	890	142	999	72	1,458
Other types.....	---	---	(1)	1.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	340	11,000	100.0	100.0	100.0	273	1,447	182	1,418	88	3,288
Independents.....	283	8,694	79.0	79.8	77.4	273	1,049	145	1,049	55	3,001
Chains.....	47	2,306	21.0	20.2	22.8	---	398	37	369	13	287
Other types.....	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	987	47,273	100.0	100.0	100.0	897	6,353	1,551	8,084	630	5,390
Independents.....	777	24,525	51.9	57.9	76.8	892	3,528	623	3,604	289	3,875
Chains.....	207	22,640	47.9	41.8	18.9	5	2,802	928	2,447	341	1,715
Other types.....	3	110	.2	.3	4.5	---	23	---	33	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	955	27,328	100.0	100.0	100.0	590	2,863	941	3,033	285	8,888
Independents.....	802	11,231	41.1	48.2	60.9	576	1,030	245	1,210	83	4,127
Chains.....	277	12,973	47.5	45.5	31.5	6	1,428	565	1,401	188	2,268
Leased departments.....	78	3,122	11.4	8.3	7.8	8	405	131	422	44	495
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	674	37,805	100.0	100.0	100.0	818	3,816	203	5,898	112	8,329
Independents.....	853	35,570	94.1	91.7	84.9	618	3,521	187	5,472	102	7,905
Chains.....	21	2,235	5.9	8.3	15.1	---	295	16	424	10	424
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	442	14,383	100.0	(2)	(2)	222	2,295	303	2,792	117	2,082
Independents.....	225	3,955	27.5	---	---	219	557	70	570	32	898
Chains.....	53	1,886	13.1	---	---	---	462	9	812	4	350
Utility-operated stores.....	154	8,355	58.1	---	---	---	1,188	145	1,552	65	1,005
Other types.....	10	187	1.3	---	---	3	108	79	58	16	9
Radio--household appliance dealers.....	348	11,283	100.0	(2)	(2)	329	1,070	81	1,403	45	1,470
Independents.....	331	9,024	80.1	---	---	328	863	81	1,068	45	1,378
Chains.....	13	2,239	19.9	---	---	3	207	---	335	---	94
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores--other.....	134	1,101	100.0	100.0	100.0	132	137	19	138	8	238
Independents.....	133	1,101	100.0	---	60.4	132	137	19	128	8	236
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	39.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MICHIGAN

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	1,493	\$236,481	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,336	13,694	364	\$19,685	\$204	\$16,695
Independents.....	1,475	221,314	93.6	89.1		1,336	12,731	362	17,924	203	17,688
Chains.....	16	15,167	6.4	10.9		---	963	2	1,761	1	1,009
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	727	23,152	100.0	100.0	(2)	573	2,476	142	3,433	72	2,988
Independents.....	580	11,150	48.2	40.9		573	1,282	110	1,562	56	1,621
Chains.....	147	12,002	51.8	59.1		---	1,216	32	1,871	16	1,167
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations	10,941	140,975	100.0	100.0	100.0	10,439	10,770	2,368	9,362	612	4,696
Independents.....	10,443	125,550	89.1	80.6	82.8	10,428	9,530	2,277	7,893	777	4,216
Chains.....	453	13,999	9.9	19.4	37.4	13	1,155	62	1,369	31	408
Other types.....	45	1,426	1.0	---	---	---	65	9	100	4	72
Lumber, building-materials dealers	982	61,963	100.0	100.0	(2)	641	7,097	747	10,542	448	15,158
Independents.....	907	77,667	94.6	86.3		640	6,889	723	9,911	441	14,359
Chains.....	55	4,298	5.2	13.7		1	408	24	631	7	799
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	365	5,940	100.0	100.0	(2)	308	674	90	681	42	1,232
Independents.....	318	4,789	80.6	80.6		308	548	76	696	38	1,038
Chains.....	47	1,151	19.4	19.4		---	126	14	165	4	196
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores	1,465	29,197	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,552	2,575	322	2,847	141	10,185
Independents.....	1,430	27,724	95.0	94.7	96.4	1,543	2,406	311	2,636	138	9,830
Chains.....	31	1,409	4.8	5.3		8	182	9	204	3	338
Other types.....	4	64	.2	---	3.8	3	7	2	5	(3)	17
Restaurants, other eating places	5,657	65,068	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,640	21,437	3,279	14,133	906	794
Independents.....	5,371	55,843	85.8	85.2	91.1	5,611	16,366	2,656	11,645	791	694
Chains.....	276	9,096	14.0	13.0	7.9	25	3,014	609	2,252	112	100
Other types.....	10	125	.2	1.6	1.0	4	57	14	36	3	---
Drug stores with fountain	1,876	62,326	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,616	6,677	1,526	5,870	497	10,018
Independents.....	1,683	43,260	69.4	68.0		1,608	4,367	1,139	3,559	414	6,024
Chains.....	195	19,068	30.6	32.0		8	2,490	367	2,311	63	1,992
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other	532	15,439	100.0	100.0	(2)	493	1,242	216	1,455	67	3,162
Independents.....	507	12,950	83.9	79.6		492	1,037	161	1,196	78	2,879
Chains.....	22	2,336	15.1	19.1		---	186	34	234	6	280
Other types.....	3	153	1.0	1.3		1	19	3	25	3	3
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	561	27,498	100.0	100.0	---	455	623	66	758	34	2,321
Independents.....	463	6,367	23.2	12.0	---	455	260	82	175	32	339
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	98	21,121	76.6	88.0	---	---	363	4	581	2	1,962
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	1,706	62,350	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,472	6,120	1,062	7,679	698	6,691
Independents.....	1,624	51,767	83.0	89.2	89.1	1,470	5,140	980	6,140	633	5,507
Chains.....	76	10,427	16.7	10.6	10.3	2	960	76	1,520	64	1,182
Other types.....	6	156	.3	.2	.6	---	20	6	19	1	22
Hay, grain and feed stores	457	17,679	100.0	100.0	(2)	333	1,329	256	1,281	76	2,166
Independents.....	363	10,526	59.5	73.6		333	699	99	688	41	1,190
Chains.....	12	1,240	7.0	6.8		---	173	97	96	16	213
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	62	5,813	33.5	17.5		---	457	60	495	17	763
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Farm and garden supply stores	124	4,186	100.0	100.0	(2)	62	472	121	466	52	891
Independents.....	93	1,745	41.7	47.5		61	191	49	206	30	293
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	27	2,043	48.8	49.5		---	214	66	189	21	307
Other types.....	4	400	9.5	3.0		1	67	6	71	1	91
Jewelry stores	583	15,403	100.0	100.0	100.0	524	1,626	126	2,826	53	5,670
Independents.....	565	14,395	93.5	93.2	62.8	523	1,505	117	2,397	50	5,440
Chains.....	16	1,008	6.5	6.8	18.9	1	123	9	229	3	230
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands	450	4,625	100.0	100.0	100.0	396	477	99	452	35	376
Independents.....	422	3,612	74.9	68.6	76.7	395	377	76	336	28	270
Chains.....	28	1,213	25.1	28.6	18.3	1	100	21	114	7	108
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	5.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists	703	6,335	100.0	100.0	(2)	712	1,074	207	1,059	67	444
Independents.....	702	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	6,335	100.0	---	---	712	1,074	207	1,059	67	444
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers	153	1,651	100.0	100.0	(2)	132	248	102	129	18	102
Independents.....	135	1,363	82.6	85.6		132	170	90	87	13	86
Chains.....	18	288	17.4	13.6		---	78	22	42	5	16
Other types.....	---	---	---	.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business	15,931	241,573	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,145	33,600	7,055	30,963	2,614	29,637

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

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2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

DETROIT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	19,844	\$885,585	100.0	100.0	100.0	17,116	79,780	12,942	\$92,131	\$5,713	\$57,502
Independents.....	17,323	484,888	69.9	66.9	67.7	16,996	54,033	6,725	64,055	3,235	43,869
Single-store.....	15,850	398,581	59.9	57.7	57.9	16,134	46,886	6,134	53,991	3,004	38,233
Multiunit.....	1,016	62,848	9.4	9.0	9.8	484	6,774	500	9,669	195	7,432
Market and roadside stands.....	366	1,728	.3	.1	---	298	161	56	141	21	21
Leased departments—Independent.....	91	1,953	.3	.1	(1)	80	232	35	254	15	183
Chains.....	2,434	191,969	28.9	31.0	31.4	87	24,288	5,925	26,429	2,393	13,034
Local chains.....	847	44,224	6.6	7.1	11.9	75	5,588	802	6,062	272	2,831
Sectional or national chains.....	1,314	118,285	17.8	22.4	16.7	8	15,409	4,556	16,180	1,863	7,892
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	169	24,091	3.6	.9	2.3	---	2,577	394	3,464	173	1,887
Leased-department chains.....	104	5,369	.8	.6	.5	4	714	173	723	85	424
Other types.....	87	8,708	1.3	2.1	.9	33	1,459	292	1,647	85	599
Utility-operated stores.....	17	1,277	.2	.2	.1	1	174	5	261	3	158
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	31	3,646	.5	.9	.4	23	1,037	277	1,089	80	181
Commissaries or company stores.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	11	102	(1)	(1)	---	---	29	8	16	1	5
Other types of operation.....	26	3,683	.8	.9	.1	9	219	2	281	1	255
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,644	27,396	100.0	100.0	100.0	996	2,979	382	2,764	135	1,091
Independents.....	977	7,613	27.8	21.4	27.0	981	480	149	341	52	506
Chains.....	867	19,783	72.2	78.0	73.0	15	2,499	233	2,423	83	585
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,818	61,349	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,639	4,615	1,480	4,249	531	2,981
Independents.....	2,559	33,697	54.9	54.7	48.3	2,624	2,420	510	2,234	205	1,948
Chains.....	256	27,615	45.0	45.3	51.7	15	2,191	969	2,014	326	1,031
Other types.....	3	36	.1	(1)	---	---	4	1	1	(2)	2
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	156	15,082	100.0	(3)	(3)	37	2,442	121	4,245	55	125
Independents.....	53	3,418	22.7	---	---	34	586	22	1,055	12	24
Chains.....	103	11,664	77.3	---	---	3	1,856	99	3,190	43	101
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,146	8,805	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,109	1,130	352	948	169	160
Independents.....	1,113	3,817	43.4	44.3	---	1,109	294	103	151	41	137
Chains.....	33	4,988	56.6	54.7	---	---	836	249	797	128	23
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	13	99,505	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	13,641	2,070	18,762	1,301	8,389
Independents.....	8	---	---	87.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	99,505	100.0	12.2	100.0	---	13,641	2,070	18,762	1,301	8,389
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	181	18,103	100.0	100.0	100.0	85	3,345	1,658	2,448	702	2,158
Independents.....	96	1,775	9.8	5.7	6.0	85	294	71	198	17	513
Chains.....	85	16,328	90.2	94.3	94.0	---	3,051	1,587	2,252	685	1,645
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	308	16,353	100.0	100.0	100.0	191	1,416	192	2,303	112	3,349
Independents.....	242	9,633	58.9	83.8	56.2	187	955	107	1,582	62	2,434
Chains.....	64	6,720	41.1	36.2	43.8	4	461	85	721	50	915
Other types.....	---	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	83	3,221	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	418	48	480	18	838
Independents.....	78	2,743	85.2	100.0	84.6	72	350	33	403	14	807
Chains.....	5	478	14.8	---	13.0	---	68	15	77	4	29
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	348	25,406	100.0	100.0	100.0	202	3,401	815	3,610	411	2,292
Independents.....	238	10,818	43.0	50.6	74.4	200	1,635	263	1,979	170	1,279
Chains.....	110	14,490	57.0	49.4	22.7	2	1,766	552	1,631	241	1,013
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	309	12,241	100.0	100.0	100.0	171	1,201	335	1,480	120	2,540
Independents.....	174	4,110	33.6	41.5	57.7	164	379	63	538	28	1,249
Chains.....	114	6,769	55.3	51.7	32.5	3	655	228	725	75	1,052
Leased departments.....	21	1,362	11.1	6.8	9.8	4	167	44	197	17	239
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	190	15,732	100.0	100.0	100.0	163	1,584	44	2,725	26	2,915
Independents.....	184	---	---	---	70.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	6	15,732	100.0	100.0	29.6	163	1,584	44	2,725	26	2,915
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	72	3,039	100.0	(3)	(3)	28	473	12	684	4	390
Independents.....	35	759	25.0	---	---	28	94	8	121	3	61
Chains.....	22	1,025	33.7	---	---	---	211	1	309	(2)	163
Utility-operated stores.....	15	1,255	41.3	---	---	---	188	3	254	1	146
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	76	4,995	100.0	(3)	(3)	59	401	11	640	6	412
Independents.....	64	2,901	58.1	---	---	58	202	11	317	6	325
Chains.....	12	2,094	41.9	---	---	1	199	---	323	---	87
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	37	428	100.0	100.0	100.0	38	54	4	64	1	92
Independents.....	38	---	---	---	39.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	428	100.0	---	60.8	36	54	4	64	1	92
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

DETROIT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	152	\$74,447	100.0	100.0	(s)	77	3,716	29	\$8,181	\$27	\$4,391
Independents.....	147										
Chains.....	5	74,447	100.0	77.0		77	3,716	29	6,181	27	4,391
Other types.....				23.0							
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	132	9,022	100.0	100.0	(s)	84	932	31	1,474	20	1,002
Independents.....	92	3,114	34.5	43.1		84	329	21	472	14	419
Chains.....	40	5,908	65.5	58.9			603	10	1,002	8	583
Other types.....											
Filling stations	1,673	37,539	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,792	3,372	656	3,081	201	1,038
Independents.....	1,720	30,873	81.7	74.9	52.9	1,787	2,912	640	2,514	193	822
Chains.....	153	8,668	18.3	25.1	47.1	5	460	18	567	8	216
Other types.....											
One store combd with "Independents."											
Lumber, building-materials dealers	140	28,319	100.0	100.0	(s)	51	2,105	107	3,805	76	2,832
Independents.....	129	27,185	98.0	73.4		50	1,995	107	3,609	76	2,692
Chains.....	11	1,134	4.0	26.6		1	110		196		140
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	112	2,557	100.0	100.0	(s)	85	252	28	352	13	431
Independents.....	98	1,993	77.9	81.5		85	205	28	275	13	350
Chains.....	14	564	22.1	18.5			47		77		81
Other types.....											
Hardware stores	337	6,280	100.0	100.0	100.0	337	511	67	642	30	1,746
Independents.....	330	5,946	94.7	88.7	96.4	333	483	66	810	30	1,664
Chains.....	8			13.3	3.8						
Other types.....	1	334	5.3			4	28	1	32	(2)	82
Restaurants, other eating places	1,934	27,174	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,983	9,523	1,046	7,047	279	272
Independents.....	1,776	20,678	78.1	78.1	85.1	1,972	7,159	513	5,291	167	211
Chains.....	154	8,439	23.7	21.6	14.3	10	2,341	530	1,739	90	81
Other types.....	4	57	.2	2.3	.8	1	23	3	17	2	
Drug stores with fountain	718	28,443	100.0	100.0	(s)	558	3,050	551	2,887	164	3,349
Independents.....	590	14,792	55.9	51.6		553	1,538	382	1,240	133	2,122
Chains.....	128	11,651	44.1	48.4		5	1,512	189	1,427	31	1,227
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other	143	5,600	100.0	100.0	(s)	131	463	83	610	44	854
Independents.....	139	5,280	94.3	99.8		130	445	83	563	44	784
Chains.....	3			.2							
Other types.....	1	320	5.7			1	38		47		70
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	182	4,127	100.0	100.0	---	181	153	27	179	13	255
Independents.....	168	1,893	45.9	16.7	---	161	85	27	64	13	76
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....	14	2,234	54.1	83.3	---		68		115		179
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	502	24,282	100.0	100.0	100.0	397	2,265	259	3,177	206	2,300
Independents.....	459	17,401	71.7	81.7	78.3	395	1,645	212	2,186	170	1,645
Chains.....	43	8,881	28.3	18.1	21.7	2	820	47	991	38	655
Other types.....				.2							
Hay, grain and feed stores	17	183	100.0	100.0	(s)	16	7		7		10
Independents.....	17	183	100.0			16	7		7		10
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores	12	208	100.0	100.0	(s)	10	30	8	42	9	18
Independents.....	12	208	100.0			10	30	8	42	9	18
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores	159	7,756	100.0	100.0	100.0	118	863	37	1,578	20	2,822
Independents.....	154			98.6	80.8						
Chains.....	5	7,756	100.0	1.1	19.2	118	863	37	1,578	20	2,822
Other types.....				2.3							
Cigar stores, cigar stands	154	2,082	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	195	38	212	14	186
Independents.....	137	1,274	61.8	62.7	66.8	119	122	17	134	7	101
Chains.....	17	788	38.2	37.3	33.2	1	73	21	78	7	85
Other type.....											
Florists	253	2,575	100.0	100.0	(s)	242	391	69	473	34	94
Independents.....	253	2,575	100.0			242	391	69	473	34	94
Chains.....											
Other type.....											
News dealers	28	454	100.0	100.0	(s)	16	72	12	60	4	22
Independents.....	20	211	48.5	72.3		16	28	2	29	1	7
Chains.....	8	243	53.5	26.3			44	10	31	3	15
Other types.....				1.4							
All other kinds of business	5,817	94,903	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,150	14,760	2,372	15,182	968	8,392

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

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3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MINNESOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	40,448	\$1,017,195	100.0	100.0	100.0	38,932	106,282	21,801	\$104,204	\$8,296	\$135,986
Independents.....	37,417	802,785	78.9	78.5	79.3	38,609	82,533	15,437	80,493	5,979	108,143
Single-store.....	35,425	695,771	68.4	69.9	71.5	37,497	69,974	12,987	65,630	4,919	92,340
Multiunit.....	1,719	103,784	10.2	8.5	7.8	857	12,150	2,299	14,564	1,011	15,617
Market and roadside stands.....	84	219	(1)	---	---	74	49	22	21	5	9
Leased departments—-independent.....	189	3,011	.3	.1	(1)	181	360	129	278	44	177
Chains.....	2,106	188,261	18.5	19.6	13.9	52	20,497	5,542	20,316	1,990	25,122
Local chains.....	355	16,193	1.6	1.1	3.2	39	1,729	413	1,789	129	1,890
Sectional or national chains ²	1,497	159,522	15.6	13.0	9.8	12	17,031	4,839	16,545	1,757	21,914
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	160	8,893	.9	.2	.5	---	1,113	121	1,412	55	1,026
Leased-department chains.....	104	3,853	.4	.3	.4	1	624	164	570	49	292
Other types.....	925	26,149	2.6	1.9	6.8	271	3,252	822	3,395	327	2,721
Utility-operated stores.....	74	3,175	.3	.3	.1	4	529	214	712	141	436
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	219	4,007	.4	.4	.3	191	1,051	330	1,042	99	202
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	385	14,084	1.4	1.0	1.0	---	1,147	177	1,149	60	1,474
Other types of operation.....	247	4,893	.5	.2	5.2	76	525	101	492	27	609
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	4,009	59,932	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,896	3,408	1,204	2,421	321	5,438
Independents.....	3,791	50,138	83.6	75.4	83.0	3,882	2,565	836	1,734	222	4,806
Chains.....	188	9,281	15.5	23.5	16.5	3	791	355	641	97	555
Other types.....	30	513	.9	1.1	.5	11	52	13	46	2	77
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,890	100,028	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,982	7,057	1,925	6,159	556	6,887
Independents.....	2,677	80,609	80.6	88.1	84.7	2,980	5,404	1,240	4,664	345	6,032
Chains.....	192	18,553	18.5	11.7	15.0	2	1,575	676	1,420	207	764
Other types.....	21	866	.9	.2	.3	---	78	9	75	4	91
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	326	19,340	100.0	(3)	(3)	263	2,851	129	5,127	56	215
Independents.....	285	18,325	94.3	---	---	263	2,641	71	4,960	29	203
Chains.....	28	598	3.1	---	---	---	151	50	122	23	4
Other types.....	13	417	2.1	---	---	---	39	8	45	4	8
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	451	3,521	100.0	100.0	(3)	401	416	104	294	35	182
Independents.....	413	2,662	81.3	84.7	---	395	340	94	236	33	178
Chains.....	26	593	16.8	8.8	---	---	64	5	53	2	3
Other types.....	12	66	1.9	6.5	---	6	12	5	5	(4)	1
Department stores.....	102	116,524	100.0	100.0	100.0	6	15,687	3,900	16,632	1,752	18,136
Independents.....	32	51,085	43.8	50.2	47.1	6	9,270	2,580	9,824	1,191	8,267
Chains and mail-order.....	70	65,439	56.2	49.3	52.9	---	6,417	1,320	6,808	561	9,869
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	401	16,457	100.0	100.0	100.0	316	3,036	1,300	1,980	480	2,545
Independents.....	323	4,504	27.4	16.3	14.7	316	654	228	345	61	1,225
Chains.....	78	11,953	72.6	83.7	85.3	---	2,382	1,072	1,635	419	1,320
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	466	16,020	100.0	100.0	100.0	450	1,397	265	1,704	111	5,487
Independents.....	439	14,559	90.9	90.4	78.9	449	1,228	242	1,536	101	5,204
Chains.....	27	1,461	9.1	9.6	20.0	1	139	23	168	10	283
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	1.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	169	10,367	100.0	100.0	100.0	166	1,317	301	1,473	158	2,637
Independents.....	164	10,026	96.7	---	86.3	164	1,282	291	1,434	155	2,550
Chains.....	4	341	3.3	---	8.4	---	35	10	39	3	87
Other types.....	1	---	(1)	---	5.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	483	18,945	100.0	100.0	100.0	425	3,048	742	2,805	228	2,464
Independents.....	431	14,271	75.3	75.5	74.0	423	2,418	542	2,245	158	2,077
Chains.....	52	4,674	24.7	24.2	18.9	2	630	200	560	70	387
Other types.....	---	---	.3	7.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	389	9,508	100.0	100.0	100.0	296	952	289	973	90	2,522
Independents.....	298	4,955	52.1	49.0	62.8	290	434	82	445	29	1,822
Chains.....	57	3,106	32.7	35.7	28.8	---	364	157	558	42	482
Leased departments.....	34	1,447	15.2	---	---	6	154	50	170	19	218
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	429	19,818	100.0	100.0	100.0	461	1,889	150	2,844	88	4,878
Independents.....	428	---	---	---	96.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	19,818	100.0	---	3.1	461	1,889	150	2,844	88	4,878
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	253	6,953	100.0	(3)	(3)	186	1,043	220	1,395	151	1,058
Independents.....	152	2,742	39.4	---	---	162	284	36	344	16	368
Chains.....	31	1,120	16.1	---	---	---	270	2	356	1	242
Utility-operated stores.....	65	3,022	43.5	---	---	---	480	181	684	133	413
Other types.....	5	89	1.0	---	---	4	9	1	11	1	15
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	142	2,976	100.0	(3)	(3)	154	297	37	318	17	482
Independents.....	139	2,932	98.5	---	---	149	292	37	313	17	474
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	2	44	1.5	---	---	5	5	---	5	---	8
Radio stores—other.....	41	774	100.0	100.0	100.0	38	117	16	119	4	203
Independents.....	41	774	100.0	---	90.3	38	117	16	119	4	203
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	8.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	1.3	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MINNESOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	1,124	\$113,049	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,154	7,596	267	\$9,773	\$272	\$11,831
Independents.....	1,109	107,687	95.3	96.3		1,150	7,228	263	9,307	268	11,406
Chains.....	12	4,970	4.4	3.7		4	330	3	429	4	39
Other types.....	3	392	.3	—		—	28	1	37	(4)	56
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	435	8,951	100.0	100.0	(3)	401	914	59	1,146	22	1,394
Independents.....	397	5,675	63.4	46.4		401	561	53	612	19	1,007
Chains.....	38	3,276	36.6	53.6		—	353	8	534	3	377
Other types.....	One store comd with "Independents."										
Filling stations	6,692	78,518	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,614	5,207	1,239	4,489	434	3,090
Independents.....	6,427	69,747	88.8	78.9	50.0	6,606	4,445	1,178	3,581	404	2,878
Chains.....	114	4,097	5.2	19.2	38.6	7	354	15	437	9	123
Other types.....	151	4,674	6.0	1.9	11.4	1	408	46	471	21	289
Lumber, building-materials dealers	1,074	49,493	100.0	100.0	(3)	375	3,885	934	4,666	382	11,676
Independents.....	510	25,109	50.7	48.7		371	1,907	296	2,579	162	5,143
Chains.....	559	23,987	48.5	51.0		3	1,961	635	2,068	219	6,477
Other types.....	5	397	.8	.3		1	17	3	19	1	56
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	107	2,058	100.0	100.0	(3)	90	225	31	291	15	527
Independents.....	101	1,737	84.5	94.4		90	197	30	249	15	462
Chains.....	6	319	15.5	5.6		—	28	1	42	(4)	65
Other types.....											
Hardware stores	1,282	25,410	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,436	2,015	225	2,025	94	8,284
Independents.....	1,271	25,042	98.8	99.8	97.8	1,432	1,979	221	1,988	92	8,184
Chains.....	8	316	1.2	.2	.9	3	29	2	30	1	83
Other types.....	3	52	.2	—	1.3	1	7	2	7	1	17
Restaurants, other eating places	3,693	44,434	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,823	12,127	1,764	7,586	544	784
Independents.....	3,615	41,910	94.3	93.7	94.2	3,819	11,241	1,554	6,964	494	729
Chains.....	72	2,459	5.6	6.3	5.2	3	854	221	603	49	33
Other types.....	6	65	.1	.6	.6	1	32	9	19	1	2
Drug stores with fountain	740	23,835	100.0	100.0	(3)	708	2,599	598	2,460	217	4,183
Independents.....	703	18,395	77.2	70.2		708	1,935	508	1,715	186	3,618
Chains.....	37	5,440	22.8	29.8		2	684	90	745	31	565
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other	394	9,159	100.0	100.0	(3)	383	736	114	900	42	2,331
Independents.....	385	7,813	85.3	98.8		381	638	105	784	37	2,167
Chains.....	9	1,346	14.7	3.2		2	98	9	116	5	164
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	487	12,298	100.0	100.0	—	302	779	148	837	46	1,770
Independents.....	334	8,613	70.0	84.4	—	302	397	72	490	27	1,398
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Municipal liquor stores.....	153	3,685	30.0	15.8	—	—	382	76	347	19	384
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	987	28,505	100.0	100.0	100.0	903	2,682	583	3,285	334	2,523
Independents.....	959	21,627	81.6	81.2	85.8	899	2,198	563	2,539	327	2,118
Chains.....	20	4,748	17.9	18.5	12.9	1	457	8	723	4	399
Other types.....	9	130	.5	.3	1.3	3	29	12	23	3	6
Hay, grain and feed stores	540	12,239	100.0	100.0	(3)	370	754	157	672	68	1,209
Independents.....	394	7,616	62.2	50.7		369	442	85	377	34	683
Chains.....	68	2,561	20.9	36.6		1	173	34	191	25	259
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	78	2,062	18.9	—		—	139	38	104	9	267
Other types.....				12.7							
Farm and garden supply stores	76	2,095	100.0	100.0	(3)	70	159	18	171	8	457
Independents.....	68	1,410	67.3	75.1		68	76	14	67	7	238
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	5	220	10.5	26.4		—	14	2	13	1	46
Other types.....	3	465	22.2	.5		2	69	—	91	—	173
Jewelry stores	383	6,161	100.0	100.0	100.0	367	584	64	850	26	2,963
Independents.....	381	—	99.7	98.7		367	564	64	850	26	2,963
Chains.....	2	8,181	100.0	.3	.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....				.6							
Cigar stores, cigar stands	219	2,883	100.0	100.0	100.0	198	231	41	218	15	672
Independents.....	202	2,576	89.4	87.7	92.0	198	197	33	189	13	648
Chains.....	17	307	10.8	10.9	8.0	—	34	8	29	2	24
Other types.....				1.4							
Florists	205	2,757	100.0	100.0	(3)	202	379	63	429	29	135
Independents.....	200	—	100.0	—		202	379	63	429	29	135
Chains.....	5	2,757	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....											
News dealers	38	325	100.0	100.0	(3)	36	36	14	23	4	28
Independents.....	37	—	—	78.6		36	36	14	23	4	28
Chains.....	1	325	100.0	.6		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....				20.8							
All other kinds of business	11,421	195,864	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,500	22,939	4,902	20,139	1,697	29,065

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietore of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Two mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MISSISSIPPI

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	18,032	\$282,440	100.0	100.0	100.0	16,360	32,514	6,115	\$22,735	\$1,233	\$38,146
Independents.....	17,172	246,053	87.1	86.6	90.9	16,259	26,890	4,049	18,917	871	33,915
Single-store.....	16,413	223,662	79.2	80.4	84.8	15,888	24,004	3,615	16,658	794	30,519
Multiunit.....	717	22,134	7.8	5.9	6.1	333	2,847	425	2,240	75	3,385
Market and roadside stands.....	16	68	(1)	.2	(1)	14	13	3	6	1	2
Leased departments—-independent.....	26	189	.1	.1	—	24	26	6	13	1	9
Chains.....	585	30,689	10.9	11.3	7.5	11	4,771	1,769	3,213	311	3,482
Local chains.....	121	5,269	1.9	.9	5.7	4	645	106	489	19	321
Sectional or national chains.....	397	22,351	7.9	10.1	3.6	7	3,732	1,645	2,251	287	2,759
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	56	2,724	1.0	.2	.2	—	536	11	426	3	356
Leased-department chains.....	19	345	.1	.1	(1)	—	58	7	47	2	26
Other types.....	275	5,698	2.0	2.1	1.6	90	853	297	605	51	769
Utility-operated stores.....	88	698	.2	.7	.2	—	260	182	146	27	174
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	81	812	.3	.1	.1	50	288	44	184	6	53
Commissaries or company stores.....	59	2,424	.9	1.0	1.0	23	198	46	172	10	370
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	30	1,728	.6	—	.3	—	95	13	98	3	172
Other types of operation.....	17	36	(1)	.1	(1)	17	12	12	5	5	—
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,115	26,108	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,707	1,480	478	681	79	2,109
Independents.....	5,036	23,983	91.9	84.5	84.5	4,685	1,290	397	555	68	1,982
Chains.....	51	1,873	7.1	13.0	13.3	—	174	76	115	10	102
Other types.....	28	252	1.0	2.5	2.2	22	16	5	11	1	25
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,857	37,821	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,773	3,524	777	2,043	134	2,898
Independents.....	1,730	30,312	80.1	71.9	76.8	1,764	2,753	548	1,462	91	2,490
Chains.....	118	7,471	19.8	27.7	22.9	2	790	229	580	43	407
Other types.....	9	38	.1	.4	.3	7	1	—	1	—	1
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	77	770	100.0	(2)	(2)	54	294	92	127	14	21
Independents.....	65	770	100.0	—	—	54	294	92	127	14	21
Chains.....	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	69	246	100.0	100.0	(2)	65	40	6	25	2	3
Independents.....	64	222	90.2	87.2	—	64	36	6	23	2	3
Chains.....	3	24	9.8	—	—	1	4	—	2	—	—
Other types.....	2	—	—	12.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	35	10,401	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	1,484	335	1,357	84	1,746
Independents.....	16	5,885	56.4	67.2	79.7	8	945	122	896	24	1,057
Chains.....	19	4,556	43.6	32.8	20.3	—	539	213	461	60	689
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	217	7,421	100.0	100.0	100.0	116	2,045	1,135	776	162	1,232
Independents.....	128	1,237	16.7	12.8	19.3	113	278	131	89	16	307
Chains.....	89	6,184	83.3	87.1	80.7	3	1,767	1,004	687	146	925
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	94	2,900	100.0	100.0	100.0	71	259	30	274	8	804
Independents.....	86	2,458	84.8	93.4	100.0	71	223	28	232	8	756
Chains.....	8	442	15.2	6.5	—	—	36	2	42	(3)	48
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	198	5,311	100.0	100.0	100.0	174	746	266	435	40	1,657
Independents.....	191	5,311	100.0	84.7	79.1	174	746	266	435	40	1,657
Chains.....	7	—	—	15.3	20.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	178	4,850	100.0	100.0	100.0	139	674	135	485	32	777
Independents.....	161	3,989	82.2	84.8	87.7	139	555	105	403	23	675
Chains.....	17	861	17.8	15.2	12.3	—	119	30	82	9	102
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	89	2,069	100.0	100.0	100.0	62	227	49	198	13	484
Independents.....	66	1,352	65.4	65.0	84.1	59	142	29	120	9	374
Chains.....	13	501	24.2	31.4	15.9	—	55	13	54	3	79
Leased departments.....	10	216	10.4	5.6	—	3	30	7	24	1	31
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	200	6,837	100.0	100.0	100.0	163	880	88	908	20	1,323
Independents.....	187	6,362	93.1	100.0	90.0	162	758	32	817	9	1,267
Chains.....	13	475	6.9	—	5.1	1	122	56	91	11	56
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	128	1,511	100.0	(2)	(2)	20	438	183	367	27	311
Independents.....	24	333	22.0	—	—	20	48	1	42	(3)	43
Chains.....	17	498	33.0	—	—	—	131	—	180	—	99
Utility-operated stores.....	87	680	45.0	—	—	—	259	182	145	27	169
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	34	596	100.0	(2)	(2)	31	84	4	77	1	90
Independents.....	34	596	100.0	—	—	31	84	4	77	1	90
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	23	128	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	13	3	8	1	16
Independents.....	23	128	100.0	100.0	96.1	23	13	3	8	1	16
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	3.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MISSISSIPPI

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	349	\$44,117	100.0	100.0	(2)	302	3,342	64	\$3,695	\$22	\$3,459
Independents.....	348										
Chains.....	1	44,117	100.0	100.0		302	3,342	64	3,695	22	3,459
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers 4.....	165	3,605	100.0	100.0	(2)	127	470	19	469	6	532
Independents.....	132	2,549	70.7	30.8		127	344	16	326	5	427
Chains.....	33	1,056	29.3	69.2			126	3	143	1	105
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	2,203	23,674	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,992	2,833	276	1,774	67	820
Independents.....	2,124	21,689	91.6	93.8	76.9	1,991	2,619	266	1,570	64	713
Chains.....	75	1,790	7.6	6.0	18.6	1	195	9	190	3	90
Other types.....	4	195	.8	.2	4.5		19	1	14	(3)	17
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	176	9,643	100.0	100.0	(2)	120	1,043	157	1,063	86	1,767
Independents.....	173	9,516	98.7	100.0		118	1,024	148	1,048	82	1,747
Chains.....	2										
Other types.....	1	127	1.3			2	19	9	15	4	20
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	20	461	100.0	100.0	(2)	15	52	12	56	3	97
Independents.....	19			85.4							
Chains.....	1	461	100.0	14.6		15	52	12	56	3	97
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	202	5,786	100.0	100.0	100.0	195	530	29	507	8	1,849
Independents.....	202	5,786	100.0	100.0	91.9	195	530	29	507	8	1,849
Chains.....											
Other types.....					8.1						
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,933	8,710	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,841	3,477	358	1,201	54	73
Independents.....	1,924	8,588	98.6	96.0	98.1	1,841	3,426	354	1,176	54	71
Chains.....	9	122	1.4	4.0			51	2	25	(3)	2
Other types.....					1.9						
Drug stores with fountain.....	338	8,124	100.0	100.0	(2)	312	1,208	135	962	32	1,574
Independents.....	335	7,612	96.2	98.9		312	1,167	131	904	31	1,541
Chains.....	2			1.1							
Other types.....	1	312	3.8				41	4	38	1	33
Drug stores, other.....	288	3,339	100.0	100.0	(2)	263	438	53	310	11	797
Independents.....	286			100.0							
Chains.....		3,339	100.0			263	438	53	310	11	797
Other types.....	2										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....											
Independents.....											
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other type.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	186	1,179	100.0	100.0	100.0	152	304	107	182	34	82
Independents.....	180			100.0		152	304	107	182	34	82
Chains.....	6	1,179	100.0								
Other type.....											
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	92	2,869	100.0	100.0	(2)	88	199	36	132	8	212
Independents.....	88	2,707	94.4	95.5		88	190	35	122	8	200
Chains.....	2			4.2							
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	162	5.6	.3			9	1	10	(3)	12
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	142	4,595	100.0	100.0	(2)	113	280	31	246	11	336
Independents.....	120	3,009	65.5	82.5		113	217	21	178	8	289
Chains.....	1	1,586	34.5				63	10	68	3	47
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	21			14.5							
Other types.....				3.0							
Jewelry stores.....	77	1,385	100.0	100.0	100.0	69	154	11	197	3	574
Independents.....	74			98.5	94.8						
Chains.....	3	1,385	100.0	1.5	5.2	69	154	11	197	3	574
Other type.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	28	248	100.0	100.0	100.0	20	42	2	25	1	15
Independents.....	22	191	77.0	100.0		20	30	2	18	1	12
Chains.....	6	57	23.0				12		7		3
Other types.....											
Florists.....	93	472	100.0	100.0	(2)	91	124	28	66	6	30
Independents.....	93	472	100.0	100.0		91	124	28	66	6	30
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	21	92	100.0	100.0	(2)	21	17	11	8	2	3
Independents.....	20	92	100.0	75.2		21	17	11	6	2	3
Chains.....	1			24.8							
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	3,405	57,172	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,233	5,813	1,207	4,143	282	12,455

* Employees and pay roll include paid executive of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

4 Includes one motorcycle dealer and one motorboat, yacht dealer.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MISSOURI

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	53,196	\$1,102,503	100.0	100.0	100.0	49,528	132,585	25,146	\$119,237	\$8,513	\$142,494
Independents.....	49,326	807,904	73.3	72.6	75.2	49,115	94,082	14,887	63,515	5,071	109,751
Single-store.....	46,161	701,614	63.6	65.2	67.5	47,387	79,923	12,901	68,683	4,459	95,235
Multiunit.....	2,594	102,502	9.3	7.2	7.7	1,228	13,718	1,639	14,482	573	14,162
Market and roadside stands.....	369	790	.1	.1	---	350	96	47	48	6	5
Leased departments—Independent.....	202	2,996	.3	.1	(1)	188	347	100	304	31	349
Chains.....	3,562	289,413	24.4	25.2	16.4	87	34,567	9,476	32,092	3,037	30,341
Local chains.....	666	46,300	4.2	2.9	4.6	59	5,669	942	5,649	253	4,248
Sectional or national chains.....	2,059	204,573	18.6	21.6	12.4	24	26,073	6,107	23,284	2,632	23,996
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	252	12,717	1.1	.2	.6	---	1,814	175	2,276	64	1,571
Leased-department chains.....	185	5,623	.5	.5	.4	4	1,011	254	881	88	526
Other types.....	488	25,166	2.3	2.2	6.4	126	3,934	961	3,630	405	2,392
Utility-operated stores.....	153	5,341	.5	.3	.4	3	1,269	699	1,215	332	769
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	66	5,398	.5	.7	.4	47	1,351	163	1,296	49	448
Commissaries or company stores.....	2	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	158	6,464	.6	.9	.7	---	658	96	473	15	638
Other types of operation.....	69	5,963	.5	.3	4.9	76	658	23	646	9	537
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	3,634	25,594	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,499	1,631	584	976	108	2,819
Independents.....	3,467	16,582	72.6	69.0	70.9	3,493	962	301	477	51	2,369
Chains.....	149	6,516	25.5	29.5	27.6	2	600	275	472	56	391
Other types.....	16	496	1.9	1.5	1.3	4	49	6	27	1	39
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	6,954	175,567	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,375	15,124	3,893	12,534	1,044	11,142
Independents.....	6,117	112,473	64.1	67.4	69.0	6,359	9,587	1,623	7,529	452	6,490
Chains.....	625	62,665	35.7	32.5	30.5	12	5,490	2,053	4,961	590	2,625
Other types.....	12	429	.2	.1	.5	4	47	17	24	2	37
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	317	15,398	100.0	(3)	(3)	188	2,264	114	5,674	37	127
Independents.....	204	9,754	63.3	---	---	167	1,529	40	2,474	11	106
Chains.....	113	5,644	36.7	---	---	1	735	74	1,200	26	21
Other types.....	---	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,375	6,349	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,272	885	204	525	53	109
Independents.....	1,300	4,616	72.7	67.9	---	1,264	486	127	254	32	63
Chains.....	71	1,494	23.5	10.7	---	2	374	76	235	21	16
Other types.....	4	239	3.6	1.4	---	6	25	1	36	(4)	10
Department stores.....	84	129,211	100.0	100.0	100.0	14	17,658	2,719	16,448	1,357	19,343
Independents.....	25	71,738	55.5	52.7	---	14	11,470	1,527	12,250	880	9,797
Chains and mail-order.....	59	57,473	44.5	46.1	47.3	---	6,188	1,392	6,196	497	9,546
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	481	25,109	100.0	100.0	100.0	304	5,771	3,160	3,285	1,048	3,428
Independents.....	317	3,100	12.3	6.4	12.9	304	569	230	220	37	913
Chains.....	164	22,009	67.7	91.6	67.1	---	5,202	2,930	3,065	1,011	2,515
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	400	14,075	100.0	100.0	100.0	331	1,316	264	1,636	60	4,089
Independents.....	361	10,587	75.2	74.5	---	350	1,040	228	1,250	66	3,546
Chains.....	39	3,488	24.6	23.6	---	1	276	36	386	14	543
Other types.....	---	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	302	17,716	100.0	100.0	100.0	239	2,359	430	2,640	140	4,045
Independents.....	277	14,515	80.6	62.9	66.3	238	1,933	368	2,074	122	3,465
Chains.....	25	3,401	19.2	17.1	33.7	1	426	62	566	16	590
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	672	32,510	100.0	100.0	100.0	546	4,676	933	4,362	317	3,405
Independents.....	562	14,621	45.6	56.2	60.3	539	2,181	334	2,102	110	2,156
Chains.....	105	14,101	43.4	42.6	37.2	6	2,025	599	1,667	207	1,065
Other types.....	5	3,588	11.0	1.0	2.5	1	470	---	393	---	184
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	613	14,789	100.0	100.0	100.0	367	1,701	517	1,659	148	3,456
Independents.....	439	6,672	48.5	48.2	55.1	373	737	174	739	50	2,322
Chains.....	114	5,319	36.0	36.9	35.1	2	657	281	608	73	790
Leased departments.....	60	2,576	17.5	12.9	9.6	12	307	62	312	25	354
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	596	28,213	100.0	100.0	100.0	519	3,123	215	4,384	97	6,389
Independents.....	582	24,949	88.4	88.4	93.4	516	2,724	212	3,632	96	5,662
Chains.....	16	3,264	11.6	11.6	4.2	1	399	3	552	1	527
Other types.....	---	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	2.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	289	6,323	100.0	(3)	(3)	105	1,616	707	1,671	336	1,273
Independents.....	117	1,963	23.6	---	---	104	268	31	246	11	289
Chains.....	41	1,445	17.4	---	---	---	358	6	486	4	326
Utility-operated stores.....	128	4,812	57.6	---	---	---	1,172	670	1,117	321	652
Other types.....	5	103	1.2	---	---	1	16	---	22	---	6
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	207	4,243	100.0	(3)	(3)	167	533	65	482	37	886
Independents.....	169	3,758	88.6	---	---	166	445	58	391	25	601
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	16	485	11.4	---	---	1	66	27	91	12	65
Radio stores—other.....	77	2,672	100.0	100.0	100.0	76	395	7	566	3	840
Independents.....	73	1,180	41.1	90.6	77.5	75	122	6	164	2	171
Chains.....	2	---	9.2	---	22.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	2	1,692	56.9	---	.2	1	273	1	402	1	669

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MISSOURI

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	970	\$129,523	100.0	100.0	(3)	904	8,748	202	\$10,864	\$112	\$11,920
Independents	965	128,978	99.6	98.5		904	8,695	201	10,779	111	11,853
Chains	5	545	.4	3.5		—	53	1	85	1	67
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	693	14,070	100.0	100.0	(3)	590	1,656	132	1,786	44	2,159
Independents	555	6,924	49.2	47.0		588	868	94	779	27	1,238
Chains	138	7,146	50.8	53.0		2	788	38	987	17	923
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations	9,499	82,089	100.0	100.0	100.0	9,201	7,550	1,352	5,392	403	2,490
Independents	9,159	75,174	91.6	77.0	54.0	9,189	6,793	1,316	4,650	392	2,228
Chains	305	8,404	7.8	22.9	40.6	12	689	34	687	11	210
Other types	37	510	.6	.1	5.4	—	68	2	65	(*)	52
Lumber, building-materials dealers	824	38,132	100.0	100.0	(3)	400	3,302	510	3,957	298	9,834
Independents	585	25,818	65.9	67.3		392	2,205	387	2,651	244	5,929
Chains	259	12,314	34.1	32.7		8	1,097	123	1,328	44	3,905
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	208	4,068	100.0	100.0	(3)	142	445	59	540	33	737
Independents	156	1,868	45.9	65.0		142	236	45	248	18	470
Chains	50	2,200	54.1	37.0		—	209	16	294	15	287
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	1,042	18,932	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,095	1,542	169	1,540	65	6,548
Independents	1,035	16,666	98.4	98.3	98.1	1,095	1,513	164	1,496	62	8,448
Chains	4	112	.7	1.7		—	12	1	12	(*)	50
Other types	3	154	.9	—	1.9	—	17	4	32	3	50
Restaurants, other eating places	5,393	46,274	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,294	15,318	2,206	8,814	606	618
Independents	5,237	38,652	83.5	84.2	84.2	5,284	12,855	1,691	8,884	468	405
Chains	153	7,593	16.4	15.7	15.2	9	2,653	514	1,924	138	213
Other types	3	29	.1	.1	.8	1	10	1	6	(*)	—
Drug stores with fountain	1,569	48,607	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,341	8,517	1,119	4,894	317	8,349
Independents	1,423	29,121	62.5	59.4		1,339	4,050	870	2,812	237	8,539
Chains	143	17,488	37.5	40.8		2	2,487	249	2,082	60	1,810
Other types	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	605	8,639	100.0	100.0	(3)	586	884	159	774	55	2,259
Independents	573	6,941	80.3	75.5		585	728	138	602	39	2,000
Chains	32	1,698	19.7	23.8		1	158	21	172	18	259
Other types	—	—	—	.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	335	7,320	100.0	100.0	—	270	537	32	390	9	996
Independents	291	4,909	87.1	100.0	—	267	324	32	297	9	745
Chains	44	2,411	32.9	—	—	3	213	—	163	—	251
State liquor stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	1,415	22,901	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,288	2,973	853	2,982	446	1,013
Independents	1,354	18,425	80.5	83.1	63.3	1,288	2,578	827	2,346	424	785
Chains	61	4,476	19.5	18.9	35.6	2	395	26	616	22	230
Other types	—	—	—	.1	1.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores	703	18,312	100.0	100.0	(3)	635	1,222	222	844	56	1,576
Independents	628	12,309	87.2	70.1		635	809	166	538	48	1,142
Chains	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	75	8,003	32.8	29.9		—	413	56	306	8	434
Other types	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores	67	1,700	100.0	100.0	(3)	54	168	18	158	10	264
Independents	57	1,115	65.6	87.5		54	130	18	129	10	239
Chains	4	585	34.4	32.0		—	38	—	27	—	25
Farmers' cooperative stores	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores	379	9,398	100.0	100.0	100.0	340	981	69	1,501	28	4,280
Independents	353	8,321	88.5	90.2	98.4	338	887	60	1,318	22	4,075
Chains	28	1,077	11.5	8.4	1.2	4	114	8	185	4	205
Other types	—	—	—	1.4	.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands	252	2,779	100.0	100.0	100.0	211	213	30	195	7	245
Independents	220	1,991	71.8	87.8	71.7	211	137	23	108	8	162
Chains	32	788	28.4	28.4	24.7	—	76	7	87	1	83
Other types	—	—	—	3.8	3.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists	379	3,870	100.0	100.0	(3)	378	645	90	622	39	182
Independents	379	3,870	100.0	100.0		378	645	90	622	39	182
Chains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	108	747	100.0	100.0	(3)	105	207	119	84	15	30
Independents	103	592	79.3	39.8		105	158	113	36	13	21
Chains	5	155	20.7	58.2		—	49	6	48	2	9
Other types	—	—	—	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	12,757	151,194	100.0	100.0	100.0	12,472	20,423	3,974	18,892	1,177	27,853

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executive of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Two mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

ST. LOUIS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	15,161	\$553,880	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,563	45,224	6,457	\$47,480	\$5,582	\$56,612
Independents.....	12,124	272,761	77.1	77.8	76.4	11,495	33,906	5,158	36,143	2,237	29,918
Single-store.....	11,178	229,186	64.6	70.1	67.1	10,955	27,709	4,319	28,852	1,919	23,501
Multiunit.....	842	41,483	11.7	7.2	9.3	258	5,959	787	7,116	311	4,498
Market and roadside stands.....	207	477	.1	.3	(1)	205	62	36	29	4	—
Leased departments—-independent.....	97	1,815	.5	.2	—	77	178	84	164	23	121
Chains.....	961	77,554	21.9	21.0	22.7	20	10,528	3,058	10,483	1,196	6,261
Local chains.....	278	19,649	5.5	3.9	5.6	12	2,362	330	2,684	117	1,486
Sectional or national chains.....	539	50,161	14.2	18.2	15.2	5	7,045	2,568	6,478	1,023	3,924
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	88	5,754	1.8	.4	1.3	—	805	79	1,057	28	883
Leased-department chains.....	58	1,990	.6	.5	.6	3	298	61	284	30	188
Other types.....	78	3,545	1.0	1.2	.9	48	792	223	654	129	433
Utility-operated stores.....	7	1,198	.3	.2	.4	—	277	144	318	113	233
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	28	1,580	.5	.7	.4	9	470	74	472	14	55
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types of operation.....	43	789	.2	.3	.1	39	45	5	66	2	145
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	410	2,755	100.0	100.0	100.0	396	141	46	107	11	195
Independents.....	399	2,450	88.9	88.4	84.0	398	123	42	79	10	179
Chains.....	11	305	11.1	9.2	18.0	—	18	4	28	1	16
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,924	54,120	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,858	4,708	1,220	4,411	417	2,903
Independents.....	1,660	38,394	67.2	70.3	63.2	1,656	3,243	651	2,940	207	2,127
Chains.....	264	17,726	32.6	29.7	38.8	—	1,465	589	1,471	210	776
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	91	8,194	100.0	(2)	(2)	40	1,142	58	2,111	18	41
Independents.....	45	5,693	89.5	—	—	40	628	9	1,587	2	34
Chains.....	48	2,501	30.5	—	—	—	514	47	524	16	7
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	950	4,193	100.0	100.0	(2)	899	530	107	310	28	53
Independents.....	921	3,208	76.5	91.5	—	897	286	78	159	21	58
Chains.....	29	985	23.5	7.9	—	2	244	29	151	7	15
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	10	60,049	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	6,980	1,337	10,119	828	7,596
Independents.....	3	53,571	88.9	90.2	95.4	—	6,212	1,029	9,237	667	6,970
Chains.....	7	6,478	11.1	9.8	4.8	—	768	308	882	161	628
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	99	9,515	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	2,110	1,180	1,372	491	1,082
Independents.....	55	553	5.8	5.7	7.8	54	65	15	51	4	139
Chains.....	44	8,982	94.2	94.3	92.2	—	2,025	1,185	1,321	487	943
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	121	5,971	100.0	100.0	100.0	78	595	142	787	42	1,336
Independents.....	108	4,187	70.1	69.1	77.6	78	472	130	599	36	1,142
Chains.....	13	1,784	29.9	30.9	22.4	—	123	12	188	6	194
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	71	5,407	100.0	100.0	100.0	48	733	119	950	62	1,006
Independents.....	68	5,084	93.7	95.7	82.6	48	670	107	894	55	955
Chains.....	5	343	8.3	4.3	17.4	—	63	12	58	7	55
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	198	11,614	100.0	100.0	100.0	157	1,898	360	1,732	120	1,191
Independents.....	185	5,114	44.0	52.3	38.8	152	734	121	751	46	699
Chains.....	33	8,500	56.0	47.7	60.1	5	964	239	981	74	492
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	228	5,770	100.0	100.0	100.0	133	636	222	635	65	1,148
Independents.....	161	2,642	45.6	43.3	55.6	130	263	64	287	20	753
Chains.....	50	2,510	40.0	39.2	36.6	1	271	128	248	35	310
Leased departments.....	15	618	14.2	15.7	7.6	2	102	30	100	10	85
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	139	14,829	100.0	100.0	100.0	77	1,495	95	2,352	52	2,402
Independents.....	128	11,873	81.2	81.1	92.1	78	1,169	94	1,903	52	2,021
Chains.....	11	2,758	18.6	18.9	7.9	1	326	1	449	(3)	381
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	40	2,493	100.0	(2)	(2)	23	488	151	618	118	402
Independents.....	25	710	28.5	—	—	23	99	7	110	5	69
Chains.....	9	815	24.7	—	—	—	118	—	196	—	123
Utility-operated stores.....	8	1,168	46.6	—	—	—	271	144	510	113	208
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	37	1,210	100.0	(2)	(2)	34	132	10	132	6	123
Independents.....	37	1,210	100.0	—	—	34	132	10	132	6	123
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	18	705	100.0	100.0	100.0	14	84	—	108	—	95
Independents.....	18	705	100.0	100.0	100.0	14	84	—	108	—	95
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

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TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	92	\$35,314	100.0	100.0	(2)	29	2,099	18	\$3,290	\$15	\$2,697
Independents.....	90	35,314	100.0	100.0		29	2,099	18	3,290	15	2,697
Chains.....	2	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	88	3,375	100.0	100.0	(*)	56	378	19	500	8	407
Independents.....	56	1,185	35.1	54.8		56	157	13	196	5	120
Chains.....	32	2,190	64.9	45.2		---	221	6	304	3	287
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	1,100	17,831	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,069	1,530	291	1,425	116	459
Independents.....	1,057	15,829	88.8	88.8	54.5	1,069	1,382	282	1,284	112	409
Chains.....	43	2,002	11.2	31.2	45.5	---	148	9	161	4	50
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	56	4,394	100.0	100.0	(2)	17	486	81	718	91	647
Independents.....	50	3,750	85.3	100.0		17	415	81	628	91	565
Chains.....	8	644	14.7	---		---	71	---	92	---	82
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	66	1,305	100.0	100.0	(2)	36	121	9	159	4	189
Independents.....	44	425	32.6	49.8		36	49	8	51	3	62
Chains.....	22	880	67.4	50.4		---	72	1	108	1	107
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	179	3,740	100.0	100.0	100.0	169	343	30	459	19	1,050
Independents.....	178	---	94.0	100.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	3,740	100.0	6.0	---	169	343	30	459	19	1,050
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,384	17,361	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,298	5,548	787	3,860	285	209
Independents.....	1,307	13,741	79.1	80.2	82.4	1,294	4,355	565	2,946	205	145
Chains.....	77	3,620	20.9	19.8	18.9	4	1,193	222	914	60	64
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	399	11,079	100.0	100.0	(2)	299	1,616	394	1,316	124	1,887
Independents.....	366	7,026	65.4	65.6		299	1,037	295	776	92	1,436
Chains.....	33	4,053	38.6	34.4		---	579	99	540	32	451
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	145	2,730	100.0	100.0	(2)	118	309	66	325	31	529
Independents.....	131	1,962	71.9	51.3		118	229	51	229	16	424
Chains.....	14	788	28.1	48.7		---	80	15	86	15	105
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	29	2,356	100.0	100.0	---	10	178	2	135	1	258
Independents.....	13	755	32.0	100.0	---	9	50	2	47	1	110
Chains.....	18	1,601	68.0	---	---	1	128	---	88	---	148
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	558	10,610	100.0	100.0	100.0	488	1,141	328	1,278	162	371
Independents.....	521	7,104	67.0	79.8	45.5	488	833	305	780	142	174
Chains.....	37	3,506	33.0	20.2	54.5	---	308	21	496	20	197
Other types.....	---	---	(1)	(1)		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	7	148	100.0	100.0	(2)	5	12	1	13	1	31
Independents.....	7	148	100.0	100.0		5	12	1	13	1	31
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	3	171	100.0	100.0	(2)	1	24	---	32	---	30
Independents.....	3	171	100.0	100.0		1	24	---	32	---	30
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	111	3,965	100.0	100.0	100.0	84	422	19	662	10	1,824
Independents.....	100	3,483	87.8	93.7	97.0	81	366	18	572	10	1,721
Chains.....	11	482	12.2	6.3	3.0	3	56	1	90	(3)	103
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	118	1,711	100.0	100.0	100.0	91	98	11	114	3	162
Independents.....	95	1,019	59.6	55.5	60.1	91	44	7	44	2	84
Chains.....	23	892	40.4	44.5	39.9	---	54	4	70	1	78
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	153	1,818	100.0	100.0	(2)	149	301	33	332	14	89
Independents.....	153	1,818	100.0	100.0		149	301	33	332	14	89
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	54	220	100.0	100.0	(2)	53	79	52	18	6	2
Independents.....	52	220	100.0	15.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	---	---	77.5		53	79	52	18	6	2
Other types.....	---	---	---	7.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	4,285	49,107	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,984	7,091	1,253	7,106	454	6,216

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
2 Comparable data not available.
3 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MONTANA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	8,481	\$222,008	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,867	19,963	3,878	\$21,505	\$1,730	\$32,061
Independents.....	7,644	174,937	78.8	81.0	84.1	7,822	15,721	2,826	16,888	1,345	25,363
Single-store.....	7,213	158,772	71.5	74.0	77.1	7,587	14,182	2,583	15,113	1,232	22,789
Multiunit.....	351	15,047	6.8	6.9	6.9	152	1,422	220	1,664	101	2,512
Market and roadside stands.....	14	48	(1)	—	—	12	9	3	3	1	1
Leased departments—Independents.....	68	1,070	.5	.1	.1	71	108	20	108	11	61
Chains.....	478	37,660	17.0	15.2	15.1	5	3,475	861	3,847	325	5,693
Local chains.....	58	2,782	1.3	.8	6.8	3	225	31	311	18	595
Sectional or national chains.....	381	33,316	15.0	14.1	8.0	2	3,056	809	3,262	300	4,910
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	18	1,123	.5	.2	.3	—	131	8	207	2	158
Leased-department chains.....	21	439	.2	.1	(1)	—	63	13	67	5	50
Other types.....	359	9,411	4.2	3.8	.8	40	767	191	770	60	1,005
Utility-operated stores.....	70	801	.4	.6	.5	1	239	102	146	27	269
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	37	222	(1)	.1	.5	35	49	18	58	8	17
Commissaries or company stores.....	5	239	.1	.1	.1	—	15	1	25	(2)	38
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	70	2,462	1.1	.3	.1	—	191	37	183	10	303
Other types of operation.....	177	5,687	2.6	2.6	—	4	273	33	358	15	378
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	873	15,753	100.0	100.0	100.0	847	770	185	741	47	1,777
Independents.....	827	12,541	79.6	76.8	72.8	845	600	134	524	38	1,477
Chains.....	41	3,146	20.0	23.2	27.4	2	166	30	213	9	291
Other types.....	5	66	.4	—	—	2	4	1	4	(2)	9
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	694	28,315	100.0	100.0	100.0	651	1,498	292	1,700	116	2,239
Independents.....	631	19,260	68.0	80.5	89.9	651	1,005	181	1,064	74	1,675
Chains.....	60	8,964	31.7	19.5	10.1	—	485	111	630	42	553
Other types.....	3	91	.3	—	—	—	8	—	6	—	11
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	54	1,040	100.0	(3)	(3)	63	147	14	174	7	13
Independents.....	54	1,040	100.0	—	—	63	147	14	174	7	13
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	116	961	100.0	100.0	(3)	109	132	31	106	10	63
Independents.....	115	951	95.3	—	—	109	132	31	106	10	63
Chains.....	1	961	100.0	4.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	45	14,494	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	1,735	331	1,912	124	2,571
Independents.....	12	5,180	35.7	51.2	55.9	1	772	85	869	41	1,064
Chains.....	33	9,314	64.3	48.8	46.1	—	963	246	1,043	83	1,487
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	65	3,283	100.0	100.0	100.0	47	816	240	419	97	809
Independents.....	46	503	15.3	12.1	15.7	47	72	28	31	6	149
Chains.....	19	2,780	84.7	87.9	84.3	—	544	212	388	91	460
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	100	3,336	100.0	100.0	100.0	101	223	37	342	17	1,456
Independents.....	100	3,336	100.0	100.0	97.0	101	223	37	342	17	1,456
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	31	1,270	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	168	48	178	9	395
Independents.....	28	1,220	96.1	100.0	100.0	25	162	46	174	8	384
Chains.....	1	50	3.9	—	—	2	6	2	4	1	11
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	136	2,981	100.0	100.0	100.0	123	362	96	313	36	562
Independents.....	126	2,458	82.5	100.0	90.2	123	293	77	240	26	512
Chains.....	10	523	17.5	—	9.8	—	69	19	73	10	50
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	47	1,339	100.0	100.0	100.0	39	122	17	167	8	472
Independents.....	38	1,024	76.5	95.0	93.6	37	94	11	129	6	427
Chains.....	1	315	23.5	5.0	6.4	2	28	6	38	2	45
Leased departments.....	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	76	2,866	100.0	100.0	100.0	71	235	26	362	12	813
Independents.....	76	2,866	100.0	100.0	97.8	71	235	26	362	12	813
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	2.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	91	1,437	100.0	(3)	(3)	23	325	111	273	31	339
Independents.....	19	416	28.9	—	—	22	37	12	40	5	64
Chains.....	8	274	19.1	—	—	—	59	—	98	—	56
Utility-operated stores.....	65	747	52.0	—	—	1	229	99	137	26	219
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	42	1,060	100.0	(3)	(3)	43	126	23	140	18	211
Independents.....	41	1,060	100.0	—	—	43	126	23	140	16	211
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	18	170	100.0	100.0	100.0	15	18	2	21	1	53
Independents.....	18	170	100.0	100.0	91.9	15	18	2	21	1	53
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	8.1	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MONTANA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	275	\$33,949	100.0	100.0	(3)	221	2,128	130	\$3,068	\$132	\$3,652
Independents	274			100.0							
Chains	1	33,949	100.0			221	2,128	130	3,068	132	3,652
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	77	2,271	100.0	100.0	(3)	74	199	33	272	15	379
Independents	67	1,458	64.2	75.1		74	136	23	186	11	244
Chains	10	813	35.8	24.9			63	10	86	4	135
Other types											
Filling stations	1,349	19,685	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,257	1,368	279	1,293	115	1,132
Independents	1,233	16,874	85.7	87.6	70.4	1,253	1,103	281	1,005	109	909
Chains	63	1,215	6.2	9.0	29.6	1	151	5	173	2	89
Other types	53	1,596	8.1	3.4		3	114	13	115	4	134
Lumber, building-materials dealers	224	9,589	100.0	100.0	(3)	66	702	188	935	83	2,857
Independents	120	5,014	52.3	43.9		66	363	103	494	51	1,241
Chains	104	4,575	47.7	56.1			339	85	441	32	1,616
Other types											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	16	485	100.0	100.0	(3)	18	33	4	49	1	98
Independents	14			100.0							
Chains	2	485	100.0			18	33	4	49	1	98
Other types											
Hardware stores	164	4,346	100.0	100.0	100.0	144	307	36	399	30	1,525
Independents	155	4,091	94.1	93.6	99.2	143	282	33	369	29	1,423
Chains	6	201	4.6	3.0			18	3	22	1	54
Other types	3	54	1.3	3.4	.8	1	7		8		48
Restaurants, other eating places	886	9,479	100.0	100.0	100.0	992	2,513	446	1,870	214	121
Independents	864	9,173	96.8	96.1	98.1	992	2,397	423	1,779	211	111
Chains	22	306	3.2	3.9	1.9		116	23	91	3	10
Other types											
Drug stores with fountain	139	3,455	100.0	100.0	(3)	119	367	51	356	21	836
Independents	138			100.0							
Chains	1	3,455	100.0			119	367	51	356	21	836
Other types											
Drug stores, other	146	3,595	100.0	100.0	(3)	122	275	57	342	20	1,056
Independents	139			100.0							
Chains	7	3,595	100.0			122	275	57	342	20	1,058
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	178	5,584	100.0	100.0		7	269	33	345	16	333
Independents	7	35	.6			7	6	1	3	1	
Chains											
State liquor stores	171	5,549	99.4	100.0			263	32	342	15	333
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	124	1,354	100.0	100.0	100.0	132	158	70	159	37	114
Independents	124	1,354	100.0	100.0	99.3	132	158	70	159	37	114
Chains											
Other types					.7						
Hay, grain and feed stores	35	1,226	100.0	100.0	(3)	27	74	7	97	4	187
Independents	32	815	66.5	100.0		27	59	7	76	4	113
Chains											
Farmers' cooperative stores	3	411	33.5				15		21		74
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	11	321	100.0	100.0	(3)	6	21	1	35	1	83
Independents	9			100.0							
Chains	1	321	100.0			6	21	1	35	1	83
Farmers' cooperative stores	1										
Other types	1										
Jewelry stores	91	1,296	100.0	100.0	100.0	96	104	16	126	9	686
Independents	91	1,296	100.0	98.4	100.0	96	104	16	126	9	686
Chains				1.6							
Other types											
Cigar stores, cigar stands	61	647	100.0	100.0	100.0	61	97	16	105	7	63
Independents	56	598	92.4	96.0	96.1	60	92	15	98	7	52
Chains	2			4.0	3.9						
Other types	3	49	7.6			1	5	1	7	(2)	11
Florists	43	654	100.0	100.0	(3)	47	101	25	130	11	65
Independents	43	854	100.0	100.0		47	101	25	130	11	65
Chains											
Other types											
News dealers	30	279	100.0	100.0	(3)	30	35	10	26	3	32
Independents	30	279	100.0	100.0		30	35	10	26	3	32
Chains											
Other types											
All other kinds of business	2,246	45,488	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,288	4,735	1,043	5,050	480	7,289

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEBRASKA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	19,530	\$397,196	100.0	100.0	100.0	18,004	44,353	9,584	\$36,221	\$2,766	\$64,464
Independents.....	17,682	316,915	79.8	80.9	84.3	17,903	33,984	6,230	27,549	1,834	52,785
Single-store.....	16,623	287,544	72.4	73.0	77.0	17,517	30,301	5,655	24,166	1,668	47,700
Multiunit.....	921	28,298	7.1	7.7	7.3	484	3,570	549	3,509	182	4,978
Market and roadside stands.....	56	198	.1	.1	(1)	49	20	7	6	1	1
Leased departments—Independent.....	82	875	.2	.1	(1)	73	93	19	68	5	86
Chains.....	1,208	69,705	17.5	17.1	13.3	29	8,797	2,897	7,337	783	9,972
Local chains.....	201	6,058	1.5	1.0	4.6	21	878	162	651	34	888
Sectional or national chains.....	883	58,760	14.8	15.5	7.9	7	7,142	2,617	5,857	710	8,495
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	77	3,435	.9	.2	.5	—	511	45	607	16	493
Leased-department chains.....	67	1,454	.3	.4	.3	1	266	73	222	23	96
Other types.....	440	10,576	2.7	2.0	2.4	72	1,572	457	1,335	149	1,727
Utility-operated stores.....	152	1,651	.4	.4	.3	4	582	246	511	105	428
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	71	1,367	.4	.5	.2	62	403	49	397	11	49
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	225	7,263	1.8	1.0	1.8	—	734	142	605	51	1,220
Other types of operation.....	12	295	.1	.1	.1	8	53	20	24	2	50
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	941	13,466	100.0	100.0	100.0	907	1,048	376	585	64	1,742
Independents.....	881	11,292	83.9	73.0	71.4	901	793	272	426	51	1,549
Chains.....	48	1,713	12.7	24.8	28.4	1	187	76	122	10	135
Other types.....	12	461	3.4	2.2	2.2	5	68	28	37	3	58
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,232	63,854	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,144	4,598	1,360	3,427	296	4,754
Independents.....	2,026	45,090	70.6	76.7	82.5	2,157	5,072	733	2,157	156	3,849
Chains.....	195	18,519	28.7	23.1	17.5	5	1,476	619	1,244	138	860
Other types.....	11	445	.7	.2	.2	2	50	8	26	2	45
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	226	4,223	100.0	(2)	(2)	213	815	104	993	25	38
Independents.....	209	4,036	95.6	—	—	213	795	104	978	25	38
Chains.....	16	187	4.4	—	—	—	20	—	17	—	—
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	158	833	100.0	100.0	(2)	158	114	44	54	9	45
Independents.....	152	743	89.2	92.5	—	158	96	41	41	9	45
Chains.....	5	82	9.8	8.8	—	—	16	2	12	(3)	—
Other types.....	5	8	1.0	.7	—	2	2	1	1	(3)	—
Department stores.....	53	29,146	100.0	100.0	100.0	6	4,545	891	4,304	330	4,733
Independents.....	11	15,712	55.8	60.2	73.4	6	2,992	337	2,958	185	2,812
Chains.....	42	12,434	44.2	39.8	26.6	—	1,553	554	1,316	165	1,921
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	198	9,051	100.0	100.0	100.0	142	1,968	964	1,098	259	1,679
Independents.....	149	2,714	30.0	27.2	29.1	142	528	198	281	39	855
Chains.....	49	6,337	70.0	72.8	70.9	—	1,440	766	837	220	844
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	175	4,501	100.0	100.0	100.0	167	387	62	438	21	1,881
Independents.....	168	3,997	88.8	94.7	86.9	167	336	54	377	16	1,570
Chains.....	7	504	11.2	5.2	13.0	—	51	8	61	5	111
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	75	4,318	100.0	100.0	100.0	69	588	107	704	36	1,419
Independents.....	73	4,316	100.0	96.2	90.0	69	588	107	704	36	1,419
Chains.....	2	—	—	3.8	10.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	232	7,007	100.0	100.0	100.0	200	1,099	229	908	85	1,090
Independents.....	211	5,705	81.4	77.1	90.6	200	935	173	784	43	1,007
Chains.....	21	1,302	18.6	22.7	5.8	—	164	56	124	22	83
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2	3.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	184	4,062	100.0	100.0	100.0	133	451	146	453	35	1,133
Independents.....	139	2,214	54.5	40.1	48.2	125	234	49	254	10	858
Chains.....	22	1,552	35.3	48.1	44.1	—	150	71	142	17	203
Leased departments.....	23	498	12.2	11.8	—	8	67	26	57	8	74
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	7.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	211	8,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	218	871	105	1,033	35	2,057
Independents.....	211	8,828	100.0	99.2	95.7	218	871	105	1,033	35	2,057
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	.8	8.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	214	2,849	100.0	(2)	(2)	70	614	265	554	114	700
Independents.....	72	738	25.8	—	—	70	78	23	56	10	141
Chains.....	18	517	18.2	—	—	—	180	—	190	—	140
Utility-operated stores.....	128	1,596	56.0	—	—	—	378	242	308	104	419
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	81	1,400	100.0	(2)	(2)	84	140	28	148	11	254
Independents.....	81	1,400	100.0	—	—	84	140	28	148	11	254
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	39	899	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	140	7	144	2	190
Independents.....	35	899	100.0	—	81.1	36	140	7	144	2	190
Chains.....	4	—	—	—	18.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEBRASKA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	550	\$48,817	100.0	100.0	(2)	564	3,731	127	\$4,005	\$47	\$5,845
Independents.....	550	48,817	100.0			564	3,731	127	4,005	47	5,845
Chains.....	—	—		100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	303	6,212	100.0	100.0	(2)	293	701	67	743	26	1,064
Independents.....	272	4,270	68.7	68.0		293	480	51	470	17	839
Chains.....	31	1,942	31.3	34.0		—	221	16	273	9	225
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents,"										
Filling stations	3,561	40,499	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,269	3,497	624	2,549	175	2,318
Independents.....	3,257	33,679	83.2	85.5	80.6	3,262	2,761	588	1,850	161	1,870
Chains.....	176	3,695	9.1	12.2	17.0	7	397	15	366	6	148
Other types.....	128	3,125	7.7	2.3	2.4	—	339	23	333	8	300
Lumber, building-materials dealers	652	20,050	100.0	100.0	(2)	254	1,890	442	1,981	149	8,286
Independents.....	411	12,135	60.5	68.4		249	1,096	273	1,144	101	4,876
Chains.....	223	7,412	37.0	32.0		5	758	165	806	46	3,181
Other types.....	18	503	2.5	1.6		—	36	4	31	1	229
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	65	1,149	100.0	100.0	(2)	56	129	23	142	21	284
Independents.....	56	790	68.8	48.0		55	92	22	94	20	226
Chains.....	9	359	31.2	52.0		1	37	1	48	1	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	653	9,106	100.0	100.0	100.0	722	697	101	624	32	4,313
Independents.....	651	—	—	98.9	99.0	722	697	101	624	32	4,313
Chains.....	—	9,106	100.0	1.1	—						
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	1.0						
Restaurants, other eating places	1,915	16,456	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,937	4,964	764	2,446	152	226
Independents.....	1,852	14,769	89.9	94.1	96.8	1,929	4,436	690	2,056	134	210
Chains.....	60	1,680	9.5	5.7	2.7	7	496	57	375	16	8
Other types.....	3	107	.6	.2	.5	1	32	17	15	2	8
Drug stores with fountain	609	13,651	100.0	100.0	(2)	594	1,580	355	1,222	104	3,682
Independents.....	596	12,548	91.9	92.0		594	1,426	332	1,088	96	3,526
Chains.....	13	1,105	8.1	7.8		—	154	23	134	8	156
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	209	2,532	100.0	100.0	(2)	207	210	51	195	15	931
Independents.....	208	—	—	100.0		207	210	51	195	15	931
Chains.....	—	2,532	100.0	—	—						
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—						
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	348	5,111	100.0	100.0	—	342	301	57	243	16	694
Independents.....	347	—	—	100.0	—	342	301	57	243	16	694
Chains.....	1	5,111	100.0	—	—						
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—						
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	324	7,194	100.0	100.0	(2)	280	789	230	794	142	833
Independents.....	310	6,954	96.7	97.6		280	751	218	765	137	807
Chains.....	14	240	3.3	1.4		—	38	12	29	5	26
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents,"										
Hay, grain and feed stores	294	7,710	100.0	100.0	(2)	248	397	86	318	30	915
Independents.....	270	6,225	80.7	71.1		248	314	76	240	26	678
Chains.....	1	—	—	17.2		—	83	10	78	4	237
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	23	1,485	19.3	11.5							
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2							
Farm and garden supply stores	59	1,062	100.0	100.0	(2)	46	133	37	111	11	311
Independents.....	46	761	71.6	64.9		46	96	27	84	9	281
Chains.....	9	226	21.3	8.5		—	28	6	20	1	16
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	4	75	7.1	26.3		—	9	4	7	1	14
Other types.....	—	—	—	.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores	184	2,279	100.0	100.0	100.0	189	245	37	307	12	1,345
Independents.....	179	—	—	91.8	98.6	189	245	37	307	12	1,345
Chains.....	5	2,279	100.0	8.2	1.4						
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	—						
Cigar stores, cigar stands	128	1,343	100.0	100.0	100.0	85	154	28	120	7	145
Independents.....	89	889	51.3	56.2	79.3	85	73	11	56	3	65
Chains.....	39	654	48.7	38.1	17.7	—	81	17	64	4	80
Other types.....	—	—	—	5.7	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists	126	1,124	100.0	100.0	(2)	128	200	56	161	20	74
Independents.....	126	1,124	100.0	100.0		128	200	56	161	20	74
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	34	254	100.0	100.0	(2)	33	29	8	10	1	25
Independents.....	34	254	100.0	100.0		33	29	8	10	1	25
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	4,297	61,232	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,210	7,348	1,805	5,407	505	11,658

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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEVADA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	2,045	\$61,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,004	5,822	1,204	\$7,204	\$552	\$7,359
Independents.....	1,923	50,370	81.5	85.6	88.7	1,999	4,785	898	5,992	411	6,106
Single-store.....	1,798	44,309	71.7	75.5	82.3	1,930	4,208	822	5,246	384	5,417
Multiunit.....	108	5,880	9.5	7.9	6.4	48	541	65	724	26	685
Market and roadside stands.....	4	23	(1)	.1	---	3	6	1	4	(2)	1
Leased departments—Independent.....	13	158	.3	.1	---	18	30	10	18	1	3
Chains.....	103	10,946	17.7	15.5	10.3	2	979	287	1,157	133	1,176
Local chains.....	9	1,110	1.8	.6	1.6	---	123	49	143	18	176
Sectional or national chains.....	85	9,442	15.3	14.8	8.7	2	820	232	965	114	967
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	4	285	.4	.1	---	---	23	3	39	1	23
Leased-department chains.....	5	109	.2	---	---	---	13	3	10	(2)	10
Other types.....	19	512	.8	.9	1.0	3	58	19	55	8	57
Utility-operated stores.....	4	17	(1)	---	---	2	8	7	1	1	5
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	7	34	.1	.2	---	1	13	5	10	3	6
Commissaries or company stores.....	8	461	.7	.7	---	---	37	7	44	4	46
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types of operation.....	One store cmbd with "Direct selling."					---	---	---	---	---	---
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	98	2,600	100.0	100.0	100.0	88	142	44	163	17	296
Independents.....	90	1,836	70.6	---	80.2	88	106	36	110	14	226
Chains.....	8	764	29.4	---	19.4	---	36	8	53	3	70
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	162	9,547	100.0	100.0	100.0	161	565	166	687	60	714
Independents.....	143	6,163	64.6	66.5	81.7	161	337	77	397	28	477
Chains.....	19	3,384	35.4	33.5	18.3	---	228	89	290	32	237
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	15	212	100.0	(3)	(3)	16	22	4	23	1	---
Independents.....	15	212	100.0	---	---	16	22	4	23	1	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	18	168	100.0	100.0	(3)	16	23	12	22	4	11
Independents.....	17	168	100.0	95.8	---	16	23	12	22	4	11
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	6.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	9	3,102	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	303	91	350	46	512
Independents.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	8	3,102	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	303	91	350	46	512
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	20	1,086	100.0	100.0	100.0	10	168	61	150	30	173
Independents.....	9	126	11.6	10.1	9.7	10	18	7	12	2	33
Chains.....	11	960	88.4	89.9	90.3	---	150	54	138	28	140
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	25	613	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	38	12	70	6	244
Independents.....	25	613	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	38	12	70	6	244
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	9	232	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	21	6	19	2	83
Independents.....	9	232	100.0	---	---	8	21	6	19	2	83
Chains.....	---	---	---	100.0	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	41	1,078	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	124	27	138	10	169
Independents.....	39	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	1,078	100.0	94.6	100.0	40	124	27	138	10	169
Other types.....	---	---	---	5.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	16	406	100.0	100.0	100.0	12	35	10	43	4	151
Independents.....	13	344	84.7	95.7	100.0	11	29	9	37	4	135
Chains.....	1	62	15.3	4.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Leased departments.....	2	---	---	---	---	1	6	1	6	(2)	16
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	16	767	100.0	100.0	100.0	16	71	7	126	3	170
Independents.....	18	767	100.0	100.0	100.0	16	71	7	128	3	170
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	12	188	100.0	(3)	(3)	6	21	6	26	1	30
Independents.....	7	123	65.4	---	---	6	12	1	17	1	24
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Utility-operated stores.....	3	85	34.6	---	---	---	9	5	9	(2)	8
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	13	595	100.0	(3)	(3)	10	81	9	104	6	84
Independents.....	13	595	100.0	---	---	10	81	9	104	6	84
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	One store combined with "Radio—household appliance dealers."										
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEVADA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	53	\$8,250	100.0	100.0	(3)	47	501	19	\$859	\$10	\$860
Independents.....	53	8,250	100.0	100.0		47	501	19	859	10	860
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers*.....	24	860	100.0	100.0	(3)	21	69	7	98	3	133
Independents.....	21	860	100.0	100.0		21	69	7	98	3	133
Chains.....	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	352	6,253	100.0	100.0	100.0	337	426	84	480	50	248
Independents.....	332	5,453	87.2	80.4	100.0	337	358	81	379	47	238
Chains.....	20	800	12.8	19.6	—	—	68	3	101	3	10
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	35	2,428	100.0	100.0	(3)	19	216	80	282	36	476
Independents.....	29	2,428	100.0	100.0		19	216	80	282	36	476
Chains.....	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	Two stores combined with "All other kinds of business."										
Independents.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores*.....	28	1,156	100.0	100.0	100.0	25	59	8	108	9	353
Independents.....	27	1,156	100.0	100.0	100.0	25	59	8	108	9	353
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	233	4,213	100.0	100.0	100.0	276	1,051	154	997	63	55
Independents.....	227	3,975	94.4	99.6	100.0	276	986	151	946	62	46
Chains.....	6	238	5.6	.1	—	—	65	3	51	1	9
Other types.....	Two stores combined with "Independents."										
Drug stores with fountain.....	30	1,650	100.0	100.0	(3)	21	203	39	223	15	269
Independents.....	29	1,650	100.0	100.0		21	203	39	223	15	269
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	23	833	100.0	100.0	(3)	18	74	9	99	5	176
Independents.....	23	833	100.0	100.0		18	74	9	99	5	176
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	20	235	100.0	100.0	—	21	21	10	18	6	42
Independents.....	20	235	100.0	100.0	—	21	21	10	18	6	42
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	41	1,331	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	107	30	153	21	111
Independents.....	40	1,331	100.0	100.0	98.1	36	107	30	153	21	111
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	1.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	7	108	100.0	100.0	(3)	8	6	2	5	1	17
Independents.....	7	108	100.0	100.0		8	6	2	5	1	17
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	Two stores combined with "Hay, grain and feed stores."										
Independents.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	22	645	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	41	5	77	2	283
Independents.....	21	645	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	41	5	77	2	283
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	17	432	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	30	8	32	3	24
Independents.....	16	432	100.0	43.1	92.5	13	30	8	32	3	24
Chains.....	1	—	—	56.9	7.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	12	111	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	12	3	17	4	2
Independents.....	12	111	100.0	100.0		14	12	3	17	4	2
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	8	89	100.0	100.0	(3)	7	20	10	7	2	10
Independents.....	8	89	100.0	100.0		7	20	10	7	2	10
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	686	12,640	100.0	100.0	100.0	714	1,392	281	1,828	132	1,643

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Includes one motorcycle dealer and one aircraft dealer.

5 Includes three farm implement-tractor-hardware dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEW HAMPSHIRE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	7,435	\$183,100	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,600	18,149	3,350	\$17,322	\$1,266	\$21,408
Independents.....	6,690	138,300	75.5	75.5	85.0	6,571	13,752	1,951	13,157	767	17,337
Single-store.....	6,270	123,608	67.5	67.1	72.5	6,382	12,224	1,765	11,547	676	15,528
Multiunit.....	375	14,463	7.8	8.0	10.5	148	1,502	176	1,595	88	1,792
Market and roadside stands.....	40	121	.1	.1	(1)	38	15	6	9	2	4
Leased departments—Independent.....	5	108	.1	.3	---	5	11	4	6	1	13
Chains.....	624	38,582	21.1	21.2	16.2	4	3,904	1,301	3,529	439	3,526
Local chains.....	56	4,209	2.3	.2	3.0	3	394	17	455	11	208
Sectional or national chains.....	486	31,423	17.2	20.5	12.7	1	3,210	1,232	2,743	410	2,836
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	62	2,617	1.4	.3	.4	---	245	28	288	10	440
Leased-department chains.....	20	333	.2	.2	.1	---	55	24	43	8	42
Other types.....	121	6,218	3.4	3.3	.8	25	493	98	636	60	545
Utility-operated stores.....	38	1,058	.6	.6	.5	---	233	83	295	58	225
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	23	352	.2	.7	.1	12	90	10	91	3	19
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	373	.2	.1	---	---	27	---	41	---	38
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	10	440	.2	(1)	---	---	25	3	21	(2)	32
Other types of operation.....	47	3,995	2.2	1.9	.2	13	118	2	188	1	231
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	811	12,318	100.0	100.0	100.0	599	731	237	720	88	1,075
Independents.....	598	5,187	42.1	50.9	31.7	597	234	58	174	20	567
Chains.....	210	7,099	57.6	48.8	68.1	---	495	179	545	68	507
Other types.....	3	32	.3	.3	.2	2	2	---	1	---	1
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,017	35,149	100.0	100.0	100.0	989	2,391	550	2,152	179	2,258
Independents.....	941	24,467	69.6	64.8	84.9	988	1,560	269	1,365	83	1,715
Chains.....	72	10,553	30.0	34.9	14.5	---	821	280	777	96	537
Other types.....	4	129	.4	.3	.6	1	10	1	10	(2)	6
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	75	2,778	100.0	(3)	(3)	65	337	28	408	11	28
Independents.....	68	1,959	69.8	---	---	65	277	19	316	8	11
Chains.....	7	839	30.2	---	---	---	60	9	92	3	17
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	150	1,474	100.0	100.0	(3)	149	204	37	139	19	88
Independents.....	143	1,205	81.8	96.6	---	147	129	33	68	12	82
Chains.....	7	269	18.2	3.2	---	2	75	4	51	7	6
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	19	5,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	730	230	659	72	817
Independents.....	4	1,579	28.2	49.1	77.0	1	273	87	254	32	285
Chains.....	15	4,023	71.8	50.9	23.0	---	457	143	405	40	532
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	80	5,169	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	1,041	562	590	175	747
Independents.....	43	925	17.9	8.2	8.5	37	114	39	79	9	190
Chains.....	37	4,244	82.1	91.8	91.5	---	927	523	511	166	557
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	139	3,554	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	302	47	358	16	1,183
Independents.....	128	3,233	91.0	94.0	95.1	126	266	44	322	15	1,126
Chains.....	11	321	9.0	6.0	6.9	---	36	3	36	1	37
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	55	1,739	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	220	34	223	8	542
Independents.....	52	1,640	94.3	83.4	75.7	41	203	31	210	6	525
Chains.....	3	99	5.7	16.6	24.3	---	17	3	13	2	17
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	131	3,522	100.0	100.0	100.0	113	467	113	375	39	610
Independents.....	123	3,081	87.5	92.6	89.5	113	417	100	328	35	522
Chains.....	8	441	12.5	7.4	8.0	---	50	13	47	4	88
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	134	2,516	100.0	100.0	100.0	90	238	64	222	17	825
Independents.....	98	1,497	59.5	65.1	69.2	90	130	30	115	8	559
Chains.....	32	923	36.7	32.4	27.4	---	96	31	94	7	246
Leased departments.....	4	96	3.8	1.8	---	---	12	3	13	2	20
Other types.....	---	---	---	.7	3.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	101	3,556	100.0	100.0	100.0	92	387	38	481	19	1,047
Independents.....	99	---	---	99.0	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	3,556	100.0	1.0	---	92	387	38	481	19	1,047
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	68	1,619	100.0	(3)	(3)	19	342	93	422	61	309
Independents.....	22	391	24.1	---	---	18	65	8	67	5	57
Chains.....	6	171	10.6	---	---	---	40	---	56	---	19
Utility-operated stores.....	37	986	60.9	---	---	---	226	83	281	56	218
Other types.....	3	71	4.4	---	---	1	11	2	18	(2)	15
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	38	794	100.0	(3)	(3)	36	93	13	107	9	105
Independents.....	38	794	100.0	---	---	36	93	13	107	9	105
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	18	183	100.0	100.0	100.0	19	12	2	10	1	31
Independents.....	18	183	100.0	100.0	100.0	19	12	2	10	1	31
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEW HAMPSHIRE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	199	\$22,478	100.0	100.0	(3)	164	1,511	35	\$1,955	\$21	\$2,204
Independents.....	199	22,478	100.0	100.0		164	1,511	35	1,955	21	2,204
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	78	2,087	100.0	100.0	(3)	50	217	18	270	13	329
Independents.....	56	1,300	62.3	100.0		50	142	9	179	5	230
Chains.....	22	787	37.7			—	75	9	91	8	99
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	1,229	13,058	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,189	946	146	881	56	531
Independents.....	1,191	12,400	95.0	78.9	78.9	1,188	893	143	824	54	508
Chains.....	38	658	5.0	21.1	21.1	1	53	3	57	2	23
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	70	4,415	100.0	100.0	(3)	49	403	50	480	29	968
Independents.....	64	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	5	4,415	100.0	—		49	403	50	480	29	968
Other types.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores ⁴	32	389	100.0	100.0	(3)	30	56	6	64	6	123
Independents.....	30	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	2	389	100.0	—		30	56	6	64	6	123
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	91	4,075	100.0	100.0	100.0	73	416	19	528	6	1,144
Independents.....	87	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	4	4,075	100.0	—		73	416	19	528	6	1,144
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	757	9,798	100.0	100.0	100.0	780	2,527	260	1,759	99	124
Independents.....	756	9,455	96.5	94.0	98.5	779	2,426	256	1,687	98	121
Chains.....	11	343	3.5	5.2	1.5	1	101	4	72	1	3
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Drug stores with fountain.....	193	5,242	100.0	100.0	(3)	167	588	64	600	24	1,051
Independents.....	186	—	—	93.8		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	7	5,242	100.0	6.2		167	588	64	600	24	1,051
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	35	665	100.0	100.0	(3)	30	58	5	56	1	141
Independents.....	32	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	3	665	100.0	—		30	58	5	56	1	141
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	34	3,882	100.0	100.0	—	—	109	—	178	—	228
Independents.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	34	3,882	100.0	100.0	—	—	109	—	178	—	228
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	287	7,341	100.0	100.0	100.0	291	869	181	908	114	587
Independents.....	285	—	—	97.3	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	7,341	100.0	2.4	—	291	869	181	908	114	587
Other types.....	1	—	—	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	140	8,509	100.0	100.0	(3)	60	402	45	503	18	622
Independents.....	69	3,208	37.7	48.9		60	134	25	148	10	231
Chains.....	66	4,997	58.7	51.1		—	259	18	346	8	365
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	5	304	3.6	—		—	9	2	9	(2)	26
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	4	42	100.0	100.0	(3)	4	4	1	4	(2)	4
Independents.....	4	42	100.0	100.0		4	4	1	4	(2)	4
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperatives stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	76	1,056	100.0	100.0	100.0	74	103	14	119	7	424
Independents.....	73	—	—	100.0	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	3	1,056	100.0	—		74	103	14	119	7	424
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	48	580	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	32	4	28	2	49
Independents.....	47	—	—	81.8	89.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	580	100.0	11.9	10.1	46	32	4	28	2	49
Other types.....	—	—	—	6.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	74	806	100.0	100.0	(3)	74	144	17	148	10	74
Independents.....	74	806	100.0	100.0		74	144	17	148	10	74
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	38	614	100.0	100.0	(3)	33	100	46	50	10	51
Independents.....	31	—	—	80.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	7	614	100.0	20.0		33	100	46	50	10	51
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	1,204	18,090	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,110	2,169	391	1,925	136	3,109

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

¹ Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

² Less than \$500.

³ Comparable data not available.

⁴ Includes one electrical supply store.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEW JERSEY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	68,851	\$1,560,401	100.0	100.0	100.0	59,277	153,873	27,637	\$171,619	\$12,288	\$166,727
Independents.....	62,862	1,213,058	79.8	72.9	73.6	58,887	113,737	17,301	126,484	7,539	119,602
Single-store.....	59,624	1,087,631	68.9	65.2	68.0	57,099	96,443	15,115	103,686	6,131	122,216
Multiunit.....	2,461	149,013	9.4	7.3	7.3	1,087	16,632	1,989	22,254	1,165	16,972
Market and roadside stands.....	376	2,545	.2	.3	.1	563	269	89	178	29	51
Leased departments—-independent.....	201	4,069	.3	.1	(1)	168	593	108	566	56	583
Chains.....	3,434	543,108	21.7	25.3	22.6	48	36,363	9,362	40,374	3,569	25,393
Local chains.....	626	39,250	2.3	1.2	7.7	35	4,041	606	4,499	163	3,610
Sectional or national chains.....	4,267	276,070	17.3	23.4	13.7	13	29,194	8,274	32,143	3,259	19,311
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	321	19,836	1.2	.6	1.1	---	2,251	271	2,850	100	1,998
Leased-department chains.....	220	7,970	.5	.1	.1	---	897	211	902	67	274
Other types.....	553	24,253	1.3	1.6	1.6	542	3,573	1,194	4,761	1,358	1,752
Utility-operated stores.....	90	7,106	.4	.3	.4	1	1,361	918	1,887	1,259	1,075
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	133	8,823	.4	.7	.1	61	1,477	200	2,047	100	152
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	273	(1)	(1)	(1)	2	47	2	40	1	53
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	41	4,408	.3	.2	.1	---	249	49	254	10	259
Other types of operation.....	284	5,623	.4	.2	1.2	258	439	25	533	8	193
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	6,307	110,715	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,141	6,639	1,217	6,989	672	9,433
Independents.....	6,228	62,259	56.2	46.3	58.4	6,128	2,453	546	2,024	176	3,873
Chains.....	2,056	48,162	43.3	53.3	61.2	3	4,144	1,353	4,930	493	3,554
Other types.....	23	514	.5	.2	.4	10	40	18	33	3	28
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	5,260	183,449	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,473	11,809	2,639	12,191	1,091	9,950
Independents.....	4,449	93,179	50.8	54.3	31.9	4,468	3,331	863	5,237	278	3,644
Chains.....	806	90,061	49.1	43.3	47.3	1	6,446	1,770	6,922	611	4,293
Other types.....	3	209	.1	.2	.6	4	12	4	12	2	11
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	869	32,741	100.0	(2)	(2)	873	3,803	219	10,460	96	543
Independents.....	711	22,746	43.1	---	---	672	2,314	121	3,799	49	193
Chains.....	154	29,951	56.8	---	---	---	3,287	98	6,657	47	150
Other types.....	4	44	.1	---	---	3	4	---	4	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	4,315	27,128	100.0	100.0	(2)	4,181	1,968	378	1,337	163	2,383
Independents.....	4,190	24,244	89.4	90.1	---	4,178	1,403	502	887	140	2,333
Chains.....	123	2,884	10.6	9.7	---	3	585	76	450	23	50
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	74	101,545	100.0	100.0	100.0	12	15,282	2,220	18,996	1,304	12,817
Independents.....	37	78,467	77.3	77.7	92.3	12	12,610	1,200	16,358	898	10,327
Chains.....	37	23,078	22.7	22.3	7.7	---	2,672	1,020	2,638	406	2,490
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	506	33,637	100.0	100.0	100.0	299	7,029	3,036	4,404	1,011	4,750
Independents.....	356	4,464	12.3	10.2	8.0	298	371	143	566	41	1,293
Chains.....	170	31,193	87.3	89.8	92.0	1	6,458	2,893	4,036	970	3,457
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	945	32,608	100.0	100.0	100.0	704	2,268	300	3,432	133	6,662
Independents.....	873	24,543	74.7	75.0	81.4	887	1,693	262	2,566	120	7,499
Chains.....	66	7,477	22.9	25.0	18.5	3	496	36	803	13	1,062
Other types.....	4	788	2.4	(1)	.1	4	79	---	59	---	101
Family clothing stores.....	343	9,170	100.0	100.0	100.0	281	693	124	1,061	50	2,371
Independents.....	326	8,173	89.1	85.4	62.4	281	744	118	853	46	2,441
Chains.....	19	997	10.9	14.6	17.6	---	131	6	208	4	130
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,133	35,021	100.0	100.0	100.0	910	3,919	944	3,947	409	4,390
Independents.....	1,083	29,770	83.0	87.2	83.1	904	3,393	803	3,425	360	3,639
Chains.....	44	3,194	14.6	12.8	16.3	4	516	141	309	49	350
Other types.....	4	37	.2	(1)	.4	2	10	---	13	---	1
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	892	27,316	100.0	100.0	100.0	301	2,339	778	2,641	332	8,426
Independents.....	627	11,954	43.7	45.5	54.2	494	897	147	1,239	58	3,999
Chains.....	242	14,727	53.9	52.4	29.6	2	1,378	609	1,508	286	2,270
Leased departments.....	23	637	2.4	2.1	---	3	84	22	74	6	157
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	346	32,685	100.0	100.0	100.0	360	3,251	174	3,172	61	6,637
Independents.....	332	29,249	88.9	93.7	69.2	360	2,975	167	4,749	76	6,274
Chains.....	14	3,636	11.1	6.3	10.7	---	256	7	423	3	383
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	287	13,856	100.0	(2)	(2)	101	2,330	990	3,253	1,276	2,003
Independents.....	143	4,046	29.2	---	---	97	473	44	618	31	603
Chains.....	49	2,603	18.6	---	---	---	483	28	736	6	322
Utility-operated stores.....	89	7,099	51.2	---	---	---	1,361	918	1,887	1,239	1,072
Other types.....	6	110	.8	---	---	4	13	---	14	---	8
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	239	8,477	100.0	(2)	(2)	193	633	63	922	36	1,066
Independents.....	231	6,815	76.0	---	---	192	566	56	751	36	910
Chains.....	7	1,862	22.0	---	---	1	89	3	171	2	176
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	93	1,627	100.0	100.0	100.0	73	179	10	228	3	282
Independents.....	88	1,313	80.7	32.7	80.4	74	147	10	183	3	238
Chains.....	6	---	19.3	47.3	19.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	1	32	---	63	---	44

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEW JERSEY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	842	\$159,065	100.0	100.0	(2)	469	9,179	177	\$13,776	\$127	\$14,083
Independents.....	819	155,161	96.3	96.9		468	8,650	177	13,220	127	13,596
Chains.....	23	5,924	5.7	3.1		1	549	---	556	---	485
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	552	16,027	100.0	100.0	(2)	555	1,710	57	2,308	29	2,921
Independents.....	532	6,675	49.2	54.7		354	880	46	1,177	24	1,665
Chains.....	140	9,154	50.8	45.3		1	850	11	1,151	5	1,258
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Filling stations	6,580	85,571	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,240	7,121	1,551	6,448	455	2,671
Independents.....	6,549	80,755	94.6	72.0	55.9	8,233	6,522	1,288	5,772	408	2,595
Chains.....	231	4,636	5.4	28.0	42.8	7	599	45	676	27	76
Other types.....	---	---	---	(1)	1.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers	499	47,561	100.0	100.0	(2)	254	3,815	239	6,148	182	9,642
Independents.....	490	46,252	97.8	94.5		254	5,712	256	5,997	181	9,585
Chains.....	9	1,129	2.4	5.5		---	103	5	151	1	257
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	568	7,568	100.0	100.0	(2)	269	625	68	830	50	1,569
Independents.....	358	8,579	84.5	65.7		268	541	68	704	50	1,447
Chains.....	28	1,169	15.7	14.3		5	84	---	126	---	142
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores	1,007	17,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	675	1,486	116	1,772	51	7,109
Independents.....	1,001	---	---	99.5	98.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	17,602	100.0	.7	1.7	875	1,486	116	1,772	51	7,109
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places	4,902	69,416	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,616	16,675	2,206	13,056	772	1,068
Independents.....	4,735	62,292	89.7	65.9	66.9	4,604	14,485	1,654	11,375	670	978
Chains.....	153	8,856	9.9	15.8	12.6	6	2,134	542	1,622	97	86
Other types.....	14	286	.4	.5	.5	6	76	10	61	5	22
Drug stores with fountain	1,116	32,566	100.0	100.0	(2)	654	5,750	718	5,656	275	6,660
Independents.....	1,048	25,851	79.6	70.9		854	2,999	713	2,798	275	5,807
Chains.....	72	6,557	20.2	29.1		---	751	5	858	2	655
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other	695	16,196	100.0	100.0	(2)	556	1,472	364	1,650	151	3,780
Independents.....	643	13,190	72.5	61.5		556	1,142	534	1,255	136	5,265
Chains.....	50	5,006	27.5	18.5		---	350	50	415	13	517
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	660	18,049	100.0	100.0	---	479	648	112	966	45	2,985
Independents.....	636	15,209	94.8	91.3	---	479	784	111	696	44	2,776
Chains.....	24	640	5.2	6.0	---	---	54	1	72	1	209
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	2,559	66,567	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,161	5,677	892	7,861	575	4,156
Independents.....	2,474	60,294	90.6	86.7	83.6	2,145	5,161	768	6,839	481	3,779
Chains.....	50	6,010	9.1	12.5	15.1	---	510	124	716	91	575
Other types.....	15	85	.1	.6	1.1	16	8	2	6	1	2
Hay, grain and feed stores	299	22,532	100.0	100.0	(2)	245	1,165	107	1,299	44	1,717
Independents.....	269	17,665	79.5	73.2		245	947	65	1,057	59	1,460
Chains.....	11	946	4.2	2.1		---	44	2	55	(3)	60
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	19	5,723	16.5	24.7		---	172	22	169	5	177
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Farm and garden supply stores	67	4,547	100.0	100.0	(2)	77	325	49	388	25	871
Independents.....	62	5,695	69.6	96.7		76	287	47	343	24	576
Chains.....	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	452	10.4	5.5		1	36	2	45	1	95
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores	464	11,701	100.0	100.0	100.0	561	1,017	47	1,650	50	4,232
Independents.....	442	9,995	85.4	95.1	96.8	561	672	46	1,422	50	5,979
Chains.....	22	1,706	14.6	6.9	5.4	---	145	1	228	(3)	255
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands	1,559	14,719	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,255	753	151	689	54	1,185
Independents.....	1,261	11,427	77.6	63.4	71.5	1,252	532	146	595	55	956
Chains.....	59	5,212	21.8	55.7	27.7	1	182	5	261	1	222
Other types.....	19	60	.6	2.9	.8	2	19	---	15	---	5
Florists	805	6,835	100.0	100.0	(2)	778	954	168	1,053	89	560
Independents.....	801	---	---	96.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	6,655	100.0	5.6	---	776	954	168	1,033	69	560
Other types.....	1	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers	459	5,156	100.0	100.0	(2)	510	678	461	465	80	228
Independents.....	513	5,254	62.7	52.9		510	578	575	221	60	203
Chains.....	146	1,922	37.3	47.1		---	500	66	244	20	25
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
All other kinds of business	21,827	505,462	100.0	100.0	100.0	20,281	51,897	6,602	52,605	2,615	29,719

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEW MEXICO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,617	\$125,765	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,139	12,846	2,182	\$11,596	\$635	\$18,577
Independents.....	6,274	102,419	81.4	82.3	85.5	6,110	10,130	1,246	9,227	388	15,193
Single-store.....	5,869	88,920	70.7	71.7	78.6	5,878	8,659	1,046	7,818	340	12,850
Multiunit.....	378	13,312	10.6	10.6	6.9	209	1,461	198	1,400	48	2,340
Market and roadside stands.....	12	20	(1)	(1)	—	11	4	1	3	(2)	2
Leased departments—-independent.....	15	167	.1	(1)	—	12	6	1	6	(2)	1
Chains.....	263	20,939	16.7	16.2	13.6	11	2,381	786	2,101	202	3,028
Local chains.....	33	2,418	1.9	1.2	4.9	5	264	46	247	13	356
Sectional or national chains.....	214	17,955	14.3	14.8	8.5	6	2,042	734	1,747	186	2,604
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	12	518	.4	.2	.2	—	64	3	99	2	64
Leased-department chains.....	4	68	.1	—	—	—	11	3	8	1	4
Other types.....	80	2,407	1.9	1.5	.9	18	335	150	268	45	356
Utility-operated stores.....	38	628	.5	.3	.4	2	139	107	75	32	195
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	16	155	.1	.1	.4	13	69	21	44	3	11
Commissaries or company stores.....	17	797	.6	.5	.1	1	84	12	95	5	102
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	6	688	.6	.6	—	—	27	8	33	4	33
Other types of operation.....	3	139	.1	—	—	2	16	2	21	1	15
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,099	6,015	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,042	286	66	211	17	743
Independents.....	1,091	5,613	93.3	92.6	73.1	1,041	251	57	173	14	712
Chains.....	3	402	6.7	7.2	26.9	1	35	9	38	3	31
Other types.....	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	629	18,716	100.0	100.0	100.0	623	1,274	309	1,101	85	1,362
Independents.....	591	13,311	71.1	87.8	82.9	623	920	156	762	39	1,101
Chains.....	38	5,405	28.9	32.2	17.1	—	354	153	339	46	261
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	39	424	100.0	(3)	(3)	43	87	22	65	6	6
Independents.....	39	424	100.0	—	—	43	87	22	65	6	8
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	66	362	100.0	100.0	(3)	61	52	17	30	5	21
Independents.....	66	362	100.0	100.0	—	61	52	17	30	5	21
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	24	6,299	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	752	243	678	56	1,047
Independents.....	2	—	—	26.3	16.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	22	6,299	100.0	68.5	71.9	—	752	243	678	56	1,047
Other types.....	—	—	—	7.2	12.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	67	2,414	100.0	100.0	100.0	34	635	314	313	67	468
Independents.....	39	562	23.3	24.4	34.8	32	163	59	78	10	169
Chains.....	28	1,852	76.7	75.8	65.2	2	472	255	235	57	299
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	31	1,071	100.0	100.0	100.0	31	70	8	96	3	387
Independents.....	29	—	—	100.0	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	1,071	100.0	—	—	31	70	8	96	3	387
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	43	1,586	100.0	100.0	100.0	35	190	41	177	12	555
Independents.....	42	—	—	90.6	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	1,586	100.0	9.4	—	35	190	41	177	12	555
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	63	1,283	100.0	100.0	100.0	87	138	20	99	4	298
Independents.....	59	1,113	86.7	99.6	—	67	119	18	83	4	286
Chains.....	4	170	13.3	.4	—	—	19	2	16	(2)	12
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	32	841	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	82	24	81	8	215
Independents.....	25	552	65.6	87.1	—	27	48	11	48	4	168
Chains.....	7	289	34.4	32.9	—	—	34	13	33	4	47
Leased departments.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	78	2,134	100.0	100.0	100.0	75	210	21	236	8	561
Independents.....	77	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	2,134	100.0	—	—	75	210	21	236	8	561
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	57	984	100.0	(3)	(3)	18	188	111	148	33	254
Independents.....	18	248	25.2	—	—	18	31	8	27	3	42
Chains.....	4	177	18.0	—	—	—	31	—	57	—	31
Utility-operated stores.....	35	559	56.8	—	—	—	128	103	84	30	181
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	15	620	100.0	(3)	(3)	14	52	6	83	4	66
Independents.....	15	620	100.0	—	—	14	52	6	83	4	66
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	4	95	100.0	100.0	100.0	3	14	3	21	1	16
Independents.....	3	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	95	100.0	—	—	3	14	3	21	1	16
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEW MEXICO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	155	\$21,142	100.0	100.0	(3)	139	1,646	49	\$2,176	\$28	\$2,276
Independents.....	155	21,142	100.0	100.0		139	1,646	49	2,176	28	2,276
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ⁴	94	1,929	100.0	100.0	(3)	83	208	16	232	7	304
Independents.....	80	1,335	69.2	34.3		83	150	10	162	2	222
Chains.....	14	594	30.8	65.7		—	58	6	70	5	82
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	1,292	12,546	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,182	1,130	148	922	56	574
Independents.....	1,228	10,800	86.1	85.5	80.8	1,174	963	141	713	49	489
Chains.....	61	1,450	11.6	14.3	19.2	8	155	4	193	5	73
Other types.....	3	296	2.3	.2	—	—	12	3	16	2	12
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	139	7,524	100.0	100.0	(3)	72	543	97	679	30	1,881
Independents.....	100	5,131	68.2	51.3		72	363	61	465	21	1,167
Chains.....	39	2,393	31.8	48.7		—	180	36	214	9	714
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	5	23	100.0	100.0	(3)	5	1	—	1	—	16
Independents.....	5	23	100.0	100.0		5	1	—	1	—	16
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	57	1,925	100.0	100.0	100.0	43	192	20	260	27	651
Independents.....	56	—	—	100.0	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	1,925	100.0	—	—	43	192	20	260	27	651
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	650	4,976	100.0	100.0	100.0	678	1,565	111	861	24	120
Independents.....	646	4,854	97.5	99.3	76.2	678	1,514	103	834	22	115
Chains.....	4	122	2.5	.7	23.8	—	51	8	27	2	5
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	126	4,647	100.0	100.0	(3)	114	579	37	565	11	1,016
Independents.....	120	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	6	4,647	100.0	—	—	11 ⁴	579	37	565	11	1,016
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	46	569	100.0	100.0	(3)	46	59	6	52	2	159
Independents.....	46	569	100.0	100.0	—	46	59	6	52	2	159
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	94	831	100.0	100.0	—	97	63	14	42	3	90
Independents.....	94	831	100.0	100.0	—	97	63	14	42	3	90
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	100	774	100.0	100.0	100.0	104	124	29	107	8	42
Independents.....	100	774	100.0	100.0	99.0	104	124	29	107	8	42
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	62	1,893	100.0	100.0	(3)	56	126	20	112	9	218
Independents.....	61	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	1,893	100.0	—	—	56	126	20	112	9	218
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	4	135	100.0	100.0	(3)	4	6	—	10	—	32
Independents.....	4	135	100.0	100.0	—	4	6	—	10	—	32
Chains.....	—	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	44	742	100.0	100.0	100.0	44	68	6	91	2	352
Independents.....	44	742	100.0	97.8	100.0	44	68	6	91	2	352
Chains.....	—	—	—	2.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	12	115	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	8	4	4	1	10
Independents.....	11	—	—	100.0	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	115	100.0	—	—	13	8	4	4	1	10
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	27	225	100.0	100.0	(3)	29	27	5	19	1	25
Independents.....	27	225	100.0	100.0	—	29	27	5	19	1	25
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other type.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	21	118	100.0	100.0	(3)	22	10	5	3	1	5
Independents.....	21	118	100.0	37.3	—	22	10	5	3	1	5
Chains.....	—	—	—	62.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	1,442	22,807	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,335	2,461	410	2,121	116	4,807

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

¹ Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.² Less than \$500.³ Comparable data not available.⁴ Includes two motorcycle dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEW YORK

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	209,425	\$5,578,159	100.0	100.0	100.0	191,259	567,150	65,696	\$660,093	\$37,453	\$879,706
Independents.....	192,386	4,189,178	75.1	75.1	75.9	190,564	400,277	51,057	468,496	25,517	571,144
Single-store.....	179,609	3,630,556	65.1	65.9	65.9	161,645	340,412	44,473	390,501	20,920	494,977
Multiunit.....	7,557	515,175	9.2	6.5	9.7	5,635	56,508	5,760	74,741	2,301	74,469
Market and roadside stands.....	4,034	26,423	.5	.5	.2	4,119	1,620	448	1,446	173	396
Leased departments—Independent.....	966	19,044	.3	.2	.1	965	1,737	376	1,608	123	1,300
Chains.....	15,629	1,302,401	23.3	25.7	24.1	276	155,199	32,276	177,441	15,091	101,179
Local chains.....	4,033	275,020	4.9	5.0	9.2	215	32,956	4,220	39,711	1,444	19,442
Sectional or national chains ¹	9,694	664,275	15.9	20.0	13.5	47	106,966	26,434	117,156	11,007	68,280
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	1,540	123,681	2.2	.5	1.2	2	12,641	1,180	18,011	475	12,082
Leased-department chains.....	562	19,425	.3	.2	.2	12	2,414	442	2,583	165	1,375
Other types.....	1,210	66,580	1.6	1.2	2.0	619	11,674	2,563	14,156	645	7,363
Utility-operated stores.....	147	11,603	.2	.2	.2	17	1,513	276	2,516	122	1,524
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	413	20,954	.4	.4	.2	241	5,661	1,764	5,659	558	700
Commissaries or company stores.....	5	223	(2)	(2)	(2)	—	114	24	103	5	7
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	226	26,154	.5	.3	.1	—	1,687	386	2,077	135	1,236
Other types of operation.....	419	27,646	.5	.5	1.5	361	2,699	113	5,601	45	3,914
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	25,314	432,088	100.0	100.0	100.0	21,960	21,496	4,405	22,194	1,628	39,513
Independents.....	21,262	287,767	66.6	65.5	52.2	21,921	10,599	1,761	9,940	617	29,997
Chains.....	4,019	145,741	33.3	34.5	46.9	22	10,654	2,614	12,210	1,008	9,476
Other types.....	33	560	.1	(2)	.9	17	43	10	44	3	40
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	9,910	424,127	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,755	27,736	6,583	26,665	2,654	24,133
Independents.....	6,057	165,114	43.7	45.1	55.3	6,716	9,919	1,721	9,488	591	14,606
Chains.....	1,641	238,549	56.2	56.6	44.9	12	17,779	4,652	19,145	2,060	9,300
Other types.....	12	464	.1	.1	1.6	7	40	10	34	3	27
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	2,381	140,427	100.0	(3)	(3)	2,211	16,621	541	30,625	280	1,559
Independents.....	2,112	59,968	42.7	—	—	2,203	6,051	377	6,622	186	1,209
Chains.....	252	74,511	53.1	—	—	4	9,765	137	20,904	54	299
Other types.....	17	5,948	4.2	—	—	4	605	27	1,299	18	51
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	11,452	65,105	100.0	100.0	(3)	11,155	5,166	1,215	4,027	426	4,653
Independents.....	10,662	71,651	64.4	65.1	—	11,131	2,701	764	2,034	268	4,364
Chains.....	562	13,151	15.4	15.4	—	15	2,462	449	1,991	159	286
Other types.....	6	121	.2	1.5	—	11	3	2	2	1	3
Department stores.....	251	462,019	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	67,121	10,519	60,016	4,618	57,591
Independents.....	114	377,348	61.7	61.7	91.0	31	56,693	6,672	70,549	3,113	46,379
Chains and mail-order.....	137	64,671	18.3	18.3	7.7	6	10,428	3,647	9,467	1,505	11,212
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	1,656	114,652	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,100	22,380	10,293	15,408	4,354	15,318
Independents.....	1,144	11,757	10.2	6.5	7.7	1,095	1,265	260	901	64	3,907
Chains.....	512	103,095	69.6	93.5	92.1	5	21,115	10,013	14,507	4,270	11,411
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	3,721	154,974	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,791	12,201	1,138	19,514	501	41,028
Independents.....	3,326	98,408	63.5	64.9	67.0	2,773	7,613	625	12,400	403	30,587
Chains.....	384	55,744	36.0	34.3	31.9	10	4,329	311	7,042	96	10,369
Other types.....	11	622	.5	.6	1.1	6	59	2	72	(4)	72
Family clothing stores.....	913	63,090	100.0	100.0	100.0	745	7,781	797	10,269	358	12,493
Independents.....	620	56,577	69.7	67.2	62.1	742	6,724	673	9,016	302	11,469
Chains.....	93	6,513	10.3	12.6	35.0	3	1,057	124	1,253	56	1,014
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	(2)	2.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	4,054	216,212	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,392	24,502	3,296	31,295	1,596	24,452
Independents.....	3,761	159,385	73.7	75.6	69.2	3,360	17,664	2,232	25,199	1,237	18,603
Chains.....	254	44,645	20.6	21.6	27.9	7	5,365	977	6,617	352	3,382
Other types.....	19	11,984	5.5	2.4	2.9	5	1,233	69	1,279	9	2,247
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	3,383	108,594	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,991	9,548	2,607	12,662	1,226	27,528
Independents.....	2,248	37,200	34.2	36.5	45.6	1,942	2,614	436	4,262	235	14,787
Chains.....	1,021	66,220	61.0	61.6	42.3	13	6,246	2,047	7,966	939	11,648
Leased departments.....	110	5,092	4.7	1.9	—	31	482	122	626	54	1,077
Other types.....	4	62	.1	—	12.1	5	6	—	6	—	16
Furniture stores.....	1,724	110,650	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,338	10,215	406	16,679	251	22,474
Independents.....	1,652	77,681	70.1	77.6	62.0	1,338	7,316	371	11,714	214	18,341
Chains.....	72	33,169	29.9	22.4	17.9	—	2,699	35	5,165	17	4,133
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	606	30,765	100.0	(3)	(3)	494	4,135	351	6,355	168	4,160
Independents.....	528	10,850	34.6	—	—	485	1,097	91	1,417	55	1,740
Chains.....	149	6,507	27.7	—	—	4	1,554	12	2,451	4	936
Utility-operated stores.....	116	11,180	36.3	—	—	—	1,415	247	2,596	106	1,458
Other types.....	13	448	1.4	—	—	5	69	1	69	1	26
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	761	31,517	100.0	(3)	(3)	611	2,522	171	3,639	94	4,579
Independents.....	686	20,638	66.1	—	—	605	1,622	143	2,408	62	3,310
Chains.....	66	9,798	31.0	—	—	—	851	27	1,147	12	1,131
Other types.....	9	911	2.9	—	—	6	49	1	64	(4)	136
Radio stores—other.....	314	6,714	100.0	100.0	100.0	272	714	45	1,080	26	1,575
Independents.....	310	—	—	47.0	70.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	4	6,714	100.0	51.5	28.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.5	.6	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
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NEW YORK

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	2,311	418,304	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,693	22,896	505	34,673	526	38,842
Independents	2,280	391,068	93.5	90.9		1,691	21,111	445	31,624	287	36,834
Chains	31	27,236	8.5	9.1		2	1,785	80	3,049	39	2,008
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	1,441	44,609	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,003	4,456	175	6,126	86	7,216
Independents	1,076	25,905	58.1	53.3		1,002	2,673	111	3,722	57	4,896
Chains	365	18,704	41.9	46.7		1	1,783	64	2,404	29	2,320
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations	15,652	219,269	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,316	16,922	1,967	18,231	715	8,295
Independents	14,850	190,862	87.0	71.8	60.1	15,302	13,492	1,667	13,699	693	7,333
Chains	797	28,176	12.9	28.2	36.0	12	3,409	297	4,510	21	950
Other types	5	231	.1	(8)	3.9	2	21	3	22	1	12
Lumber, building-materials dealers	1,611	127,407	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,004	10,298	862	16,749	739	28,602
Independents	1,544	119,970	94.2	92.4		1,004	9,783	846	15,885	726	27,115
Chains	67	7,437	5.8	7.6		—	515	16	864	13	1,487
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	1,532	22,971	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,303	1,771	168	2,348	116	6,112
Independents	1,470	21,294	92.7	93.7		1,300	1,569	161	2,067	113	5,745
Chains	62	1,677	7.3	6.2		3	202	7	279	3	367
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	3,192	59,125	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,000	5,226	360	6,658	190	25,271
Independents	3,147	58,059	98.2	97.3	95.7	2,995	5,087	354	8,499	188	24,791
Chains	45	1,066	1.8	2.7	2.1	5	139	6	159	2	480
Other types	—	—	—	—	2.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places	19,584	455,707	100.0	100.0	100.0	18,861	108,134	13,991	93,155	4,826	12,453
Independents	18,298	349,677	76.7	77.7	77.8	18,841	78,268	10,138	67,488	3,805	11,835
Chains	1,259	105,043	23.1	22.1	22.1	13	29,474	3,700	25,335	982	608
Other types	27	987	.2	.2	.1	7	392	153	332	59	10
Drug stores with fountain	3,301	98,177	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,754	11,588	1,905	12,283	827	19,984
Independents	3,012	70,594	71.9	67.4		2,752	8,054	1,662	8,072	707	16,744
Chains	289	27,583	28.1	32.6		2	3,534	245	4,211	120	3,240
Other types	—	—	—	—	(8)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	3,319	61,480	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,947	5,312	1,201	6,322	620	17,789
Independents	3,248	55,248	89.9	93.1		2,947	4,886	1,188	5,762	614	17,250
Chains	71	6,212	10.1	6.8		—	426	13	560	6	539
Other types	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	1,948	78,247	100.0	100.0	—	1,629	3,494	325	5,723	170	13,841
Independents	1,944	77,964	99.6	98.8	—	1,629	3,484	325	5,708	170	13,779
Chains	4	283	.4	1.2	—	—	10	—	15	—	62
State liquor stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	5,720	202,520	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,228	14,269	2,703	20,882	2,054	10,594
Independents	5,520	155,419	76.7	72.9	64.0	5,153	11,287	2,033	15,944	1,442	8,800
Chains	130	46,781	23.1	26.8	34.2	6	2,963	669	4,914	811	1,974
Other types	70	340	.2	.3	1.8	69	19	1	24	1	20
Hay, grain and feed stores	1,265	70,391	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,070	3,043	534	3,225	183	6,591
Independents	1,003	45,635	64.8	81.0		1,067	1,993	246	2,111	93	4,776
Chains	108	6,184	8.8	10.4		3	349	47	436	28	779
Farmers' cooperative stores	154	18,572	26.4	28.8		—	701	241	678	84	1,038
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores	249	13,442	100.0	100.0	(3)	187	2,040	1,070	1,788	320	1,900
Independents	223	8,905	86.3	89.9		184	685	74	905	44	1,331
Chains	10	2,214	16.5	7.1		—	118	2	275	(*)	246
Farmers' cooperative stores	5	450	3.3	1.9		—	16	2	19	1	26
Other types	11	1,873	13.9	1.1		3	1,221	992	589	275	297
Jewelry stores	1,692	55,729	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,400	4,673	201	8,510	103	35,982
Independents	1,595	45,955	82.5	81.9	94.7	1,396	3,708	185	6,781	95	34,406
Chains	91	8,598	15.4	17.9	4.9	2	858	16	1,547	8	1,307
Other types	6	1,176	2.1	.2	.4	2	109	—	182	—	269
Cigar stores, cigar stands	5,872	68,945	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,550	2,944	385	3,431	139	7,107
Independents	5,480	51,787	75.1	58.9	60.9	5,532	1,809	369	1,750	132	5,750
Chains	373	16,995	24.6	41.3	37.8	3	1,116	12	1,661	5	1,349
Other types	19	183	.3	1.8	1.3	15	19	4	20	2	8
Florists	2,291	24,896	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,200	3,582	478	4,121	233	1,658
Independents	2,247	22,598	90.8	92.7		2,199	3,277	485	3,704	226	1,598
Chains	44	2,298	9.2	7.3		1	305	13	417	7	60
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	2,302	20,299	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,824	2,259	607	1,975	185	892
Independents	1,764	12,229	60.2	59.2		1,824	692	361	680	99	711
Chains	538	8,070	39.8	40.5		—	1,287	246	1,295	88	181
Other types	—	—	—	—	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	68,523	1,153,329	100.0	100.0	100.0	67,458	112,103	16,090	130,847	7,475	155,551

* Employees and pay roll includes paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Two stores, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

BUFFALO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,459	\$250,311	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,594	29,136	5,587	\$30,081	\$2,180	\$29,342
Independents.....	7,584	163,767	73.4	70.1	77.1	7,588	20,057	3,152	21,096	1,208	22,159
Single-store.....	7,017	154,029	61.5	62.3	68.6	7,164	16,062	2,459	16,656	931	16,533
Multiunit.....	333	24,543	9.6	6.2	6.5	157	3,510	514	3,666	226	3,503
Market and roadside stands.....	186	3,903	1.6	1.5	---	204	326	158	259	39	47
Leased departments—-independent.....	46	1,292	.5	.1	---	43	159	41	155	12	58
Chains.....	631	62,539	25.0	29.1	22.2	6	6,350	2,347	6,022	946	4,934
Local chains.....	148	5,265	2.1	3.9	5.0	7	770	79	759	19	540
Sectional or national chains ¹	576	50,999	20.4	24.4	16.1	1	6,614	2,202	6,332	904	4,026
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	60	4,523	1.6	.5	.9	---	535	37	734	13	474
Leased-department chains.....	47	1,732	.7	.3	.2	---	231	29	197	10	94
Other types.....	44	4,005	1.6	.6	.7	18	729	68	963	26	269
Utility-operated stores.....	3	927	.4	.2	.2	1	114	---	185	---	148
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	26	1,624	.6	.6	.3	9	430	62	474	23	70
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	5	1,004	.4	(*)	---	---	147	5	249	3	9
Other types of operation.....	10	450	.2	(*)	.2	6	38	1	55	(*)	44
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	981	12,194	100.0	100.0	100.0	673	708	293	542	96	1,110
Independents.....	843	6,441	69.2	64.3	58.9	673	364	113	237	31	630
Chains.....	136	3,753	30.6	35.2	42.6	---	344	160	305	65	280
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	752	24,780	100.0	100.0	100.0	682	1,676	559	1,391	194	1,263
Independents.....	629	10,458	42.2	43.4	58.0	680	432	113	332	30	711
Chains.....	123	14,322	57.6	56.5	42.0	2	1,246	446	1,059	164	552
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	67	6,333	100.0	(*)	(*)	50	941	23	1,534	11	47
Independents.....	54	5,568	56.3	---	---	43	547	18	841	6	27
Chains.....	9	1,747	27.6	---	---	---	247	---	444	---	13
Other types.....	4	1,016	16.1	---	---	2	147	5	249	3	7
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	497	2,699	100.0	100.0	(*)	479	292	70	190	20	206
Independents.....	474	2,463	65.7	67.9	---	477	200	66	124	16	192
Chains.....	23	416	14.3	9.3	---	2	92	4	66	2	14
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	21	38,575	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	6,162	999	6,196	433	4,980
Independents.....	6	27,659	71.7	72.1	---	---	4,531	410	4,708	161	3,723
Chains and mail-order.....	13	10,956	28.3	27.9	100.0	---	1,631	589	1,490	252	1,257
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	55	6,104	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	1,343	703	675	319	770
Independents.....	29	316	5.2	6.9	---	27	52	23	29	7	101
Chains.....	26	5,766	94.6	93.1	100.0	---	1,291	680	846	312	669
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	121	6,076	100.0	100.0	100.0	88	612	61	1,216	30	1,732
Independents.....	114	6,660	64.9	85.7	62.6	88	729	71	1,071	25	1,552
Chains.....	7	1,216	15.1	16.3	17.4	---	63	10	145	5	180
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	19	967	100.0	100.0	100.0	11	154	48	168	30	149
Independents.....	16	772	76.2	60.5	69.5	11	106	42	134	29	121
Chains.....	3	215	21.6	19.5	30.5	---	48	6	34	1	26
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	127	9,062	100.0	100.0	100.0	90	1,396	260	1,364	96	962
Independents.....	108	5,767	63.6	51.4	50.0	90	693	134	697	53	709
Chains.....	19	3,275	36.2	48.6	48.3	---	505	126	467	43	253
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	168	4,976	100.0	100.0	100.0	69	510	181	554	53	1,184
Independents.....	101	1,340	26.9	26.1	54.6	69	116	26	138	10	571
Chains.....	62	3,319	66.7	72.9	40.6	---	363	146	376	39	568
Leased departments.....	5	317	6.4	1.0	---	---	31	9	40	4	45
Other types.....	---	---	---	4.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	90	6,042	100.0	100.0	100.0	68	610	25	985	12	1,143
Independents.....	90	6,042	100.0	---	---	68	610	25	985	12	1,143
Chains.....	---	---	---	100.0	69.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	10.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	20	1,464	100.0	(*)	(*)	7	216	3	336	2	225
Independents.....	9	67	4.6	---	---	7	10	2	9	1	31
Chains.....	6	506	34.6	---	---	---	92	1	136	1	49
Utility-operated stores.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	691	80.6	---	---	---	116	---	191	---	145
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	45	1,238	100.0	(*)	(*)	44	124	13	159	6	189
Independents.....	44	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	1,238	100.0	---	---	44	124	13	159	6	189
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	6	495	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	63	1	110	1	123
Independents.....	6	495	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	63	1	110	1	123
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

BUFFALO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	82	\$22,117	100.0	100.0	(*)	30	1,283	17	\$2,003	\$13	\$1,881
Independents.....	62	22,117	100.0	88.8		30	1,283	17	2,003	13	1,861
Chains.....	---	---	---	11.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	68	3,475	100.0	100.0	(*)	41	371	13	475	5	481
Independents.....	47	1,888	54.3	51.9		41	202	10	238	2	288
Chains.....	19	1,589	45.7	48.1		---	189	3	237	3	195
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	609	11,898	100.0	100.0	100.0	513	1,037	99	1,119	42	432
Independents.....	491	7,459	82.7	42.8	46.0	513	563	93	525	40	283
Chains.....	118	4,439	37.3	57.2	54.0	---	474	6	594	2	149
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	39	5,182	100.0	100.0	(*)	14	404	19	682	14	778
Independents.....	39	5,182	100.0	100.0		14	404	19	682	14	778
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	67	750	100.0	100.0	(*)	52	77	11	84	5	207
Independents.....	57	520	69.3	68.8		52	48	9	49	4	168
Chains.....	10	230	30.7	31.2		---	29	2	35	1	39
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	114	2,282	100.0	100.0	100.0	117	208	9	248	3	840
Independents.....	114	2,282	100.0	100.0		117	208	9	248	3	840
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	684	12,304	100.0	100.0	100.0	635	3,439	811	2,417	184	149
Independents.....	599	9,888	78.7	78.5	72.5	635	2,780	556	1,833	155	140
Chains.....	85	2,616	21.3	23.5	27.5	---	859	55	584	29	9
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	147	4,918	100.0	100.0	(*)	117	872	143	618	57	878
Independents.....	128	3,556	72.3	75.1		117	468	125	421	52	725
Chains.....	19	1,362	27.7	24.9		---	204	18	197	5	153
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	135	3,144	100.0	100.0	(*)	110	294	67	296	33	684
Independents.....	126	2,293	72.9	74.8		110	233	86	220	33	631
Chains.....	9	851	27.1	25.2		---	81	1	78	(3)	53
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	75	2,528	100.0	100.0	---	70	129	26	170	12	558
Independents.....	74	2,528	100.0	100.0	---	70	129	26	170	12	558
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	340	6,129	100.0	100.0	100.0	337	328	50	396	23	223
Independents.....	339	---	---	97.8	93.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	8,129	100.0	2.1	6.2	337	328	50	396	23	223
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	8	55	100.0	100.0	(*)	8	3	---	2	---	6
Independents.....	8	55	100.0	100.0		8	3	---	2	---	6
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	6	677	100.0	100.0	(*)	2	32	---	55	---	8
Independents.....	4	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	677	100.0	100.0		2	32	---	55	---	8
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	93	2,158	100.0	100.0	100.0	67	237	13	374	8	1,168
Independents.....	82	1,773	82.2	100.0	100.0	67	181	13	284	8	1,058
Chains.....	11	385	17.8	---	---	---	56	---	90	---	112
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	105	1,453	100.0	100.0	100.0	80	80	12	94	5	139
Independents.....	89	985	66.4	54.0	53.0	80	43	9	46	5	100
Chains.....	18	468	33.6	46.0	47.0	---	37	3	48	(3)	39
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	107	1,213	100.0	100.0	(*)	100	154	35	162	11	61
Independents.....	107	1,213	100.0	89.1		100	154	35	162	11	61
Chains.....	---	---	---	10.9		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	17	164	100.0	100.0	(*)	11	31	7	19	2	8
Independents.....	11	65	39.8	17.0		11	8	3	3	1	3
Chains.....	8	99	60.4	70.7		---	25	4	16	1	5
Other types.....	---	---	---	12.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	2,814	46,857	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,775	5,344	1,176	5,245	482	6,780

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
1 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, ie combined with "Sectional or national chains."

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Less than \$500.

4 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NEW YORK CITY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	115,219	\$3,192,594	100.0	100.0	100.0	105,755	355,833	43,568	\$420,688	\$21,120	\$378,490
Independents.....	106,289	2,375,720	74.3	72.9	71.5	103,248	234,325	27,232	294,334	13,913	318,810
Single-store.....	99,032	2,023,351	83.4	82.5	80.4	97,849	196,873	23,513	241,467	12,514	270,590
Multiunit.....	3,502	320,352	10.0	9.5	10.7	1,532	35,726	3,583	50,912	1,450	45,214
Market and roadside stands.....	3,110	19,486	.6	.7	.3	3,198	857	207	947	99	306
Leased departments—Independent.....	645	10,571	.3	.2	.1	871	889	149	1,008	50	700
Chains.....	8,410	774,884	24.3	28.3	27.8	154	95,837	15,800	118,719	8,989	55,003
Local chains.....	2,906	215,752	6.8	7.0	11.7	129	26,651	3,088	33,083	1,060	14,048
Sectional or national chains.....	4,585	454,238	14.2	18.4	14.3	18	58,761	11,816	70,689	5,495	31,848
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	871	93,878	2.9	.7	1.6	1	9,165	729	13,427	333	8,270
Leased-department chains.....	268	11,008	.4	.2	.2	6	1,260	167	1,520	81	837
Other types.....	520	44,010	1.4	.8	.7	355	5,871	738	7,835	237	4,677
Utility-operated stores.....	27	6,914	.2	.1	.2	9	514	22	1,180	18	714
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	208	11,305	.4	.2	.1	155	2,370	513	2,835	150	328
Commissaries or company stores.....	3	182	(1)	(1)	---	---	109	24	98	6	2
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	28	1,319	(1)	(1)	---	---	221	79	233	44	51
Other types of operation.....	254	24,290	.8	.5	.4	189	2,457	98	3,289	39	3,582
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	14,880	277,688	100.0	100.0	100.0	13,310	12,867	2,196	14,054	828	24,704
Independents.....	12,820	196,060	70.8	70.8	55.0	13,289	8,845	935	6,859	357	19,852
Chains.....	2,045	81,257	29.3	29.2	44.9	11	5,994	1,255	7,164	470	5,025
Other types.....	15	371	.1	(1)	.1	10	28	6	31	1	27
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,560	109,837	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,105	7,518	1,767	9,029	847	4,729
Independents.....	1,031	28,583	28.0	31.0	41.9	1,104	1,785	166	2,102	70	1,929
Chains.....	529	81,254	74.0	88.9	58.0	1	5,733	1,601	6,927	777	2,800
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		.1	.1							
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	1,043	74,457	100.0	(*)	(*)	992	8,080	125	17,252	54	1,106
Independents.....	934	19,647	28.4			991	779	84	1,093	37	878
Chains.....	106	53,905	72.4			---	7,152	41	15,931	17	228
Other types.....	3	905	1.2			1	149	---	228	---	2
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	8,865	64,988	100.0	100.0	(*)	8,451	3,220	669	2,898	258	3,124
Independents.....	8,235	54,664	84.1	84.1		8,438	1,314	297	1,160	128	2,893
Chains.....	425	10,262	15.8	14.2		6	1,903	370	1,536	129	229
Other types.....	5	82	.1	1.7		7	3	2	2	1	2
Department stores.....	43	295,910	100.0	100.0	100.0	2	42,012	5,995	55,998	2,898	34,148
Independents.....	26	284,631	96.2	92.7	94.1	2	40,589	5,458	54,518	2,604	32,322
Chains.....	17	11,279	3.8	7.3	5.9	---	1,443	539	1,480	294	1,328
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	922	62,281	100.0	100.0	100.0	897	11,451	4,664	8,823	2,349	7,664
Independents.....	725	6,177	9.9	6.0	8.5	894	575	94	484	37	2,100
Chains.....	197	56,064	90.1	94.0	91.0	3	10,876	4,570	8,339	2,312	5,564
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	2,391	108,323	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,677	8,301	553	14,155	286	26,189
Independents.....	2,103	59,264	54.7	56.1	58.3	1,687	4,517	329	7,855	215	17,088
Chains.....	277	48,237	44.5	43.0	40.2	2	3,725	222	6,228	71	9,029
Other types.....	11	822	.8	.9	1.5	8	59	2	72	(3)	72
Family clothing stores.....	388	47,552	100.0	100.0	(*)	328	6,018	458	8,370	217	7,640
Independents.....	389	44,032	92.8	90.8		328	5,474	448	7,625	213	7,181
Chains.....	19	3,500	7.4	9.4		---	544	8	745	4	459
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."		---	---							
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	2,387	158,657	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,002	17,092	1,892	24,139	1,132	18,478
Independents.....	2,278	115,939	73.1	77.8	88.7	1,994	12,310	1,253	17,673	893	12,101
Chains.....	100	30,827	19.4	21.2	29.8	4	5,572	551	5,214	230	2,130
Other types.....	11	11,891	7.5	1.0	3.5	4	1,210	88	1,252	9	2,247
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	2,001	71,806	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,139	8,127	1,495	9,221	888	16,850
Independents.....	1,581	22,781	31.7	34.1	39.8	1,119	1,725	207	2,977	152	8,525
Chains.....	588	46,211	64.4	64.8	47.5	8	4,156	1,242	5,888	888	7,701
Leased departments.....	51	2,739	3.8	1.3		8	241	46	349	28	811
Other types.....	3	75	.1	---	12.7	4	5	---	7	---	13
Furniture stores.....	870	68,775	100.0	100.0	100.0	590	5,772	151	10,172	112	11,004
Independents.....	815	55,373	55.0	68.4	74.4	590	3,021	119	5,251	95	7,193
Chains.....	55	51,402	47.0	51.8	25.4	---	2,751	32	4,921	17	3,811
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	519	18,487	100.0	(*)	(*)	205	2,038	80	3,625	45	2,128
Independents.....	226	8,292	34.1			199	592	32	882	24	865
Chains.....	89	5,223	28.3			4	908	7	1,528	2	554
Utility-operated stores.....	19	8,780	38.7			---	506	20	1,172	18	692
Other types.....	5	172	.9			2	32	1	43	1	14
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	290	19,480	100.0	(2)	(2)	178	1,341	73	2,201	44	2,474
Independents.....	232	10,046	51.8			171	751	48	1,124	31	1,377
Chains.....	52	8,701	44.7			---	551	24	1,007	13	975
Other types.....	8	713	3.7			5	39	1	70	(3)	122
Radio stores—other.....	190	8,502	100.0	(2)	(2)	155	446	17	707	10	960
Independents.....	188	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	4	6,502	100.0			155	446	17	707	10	960
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NEW YORK CITY

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	36	131,958	100.0	100.0	(2)	79	6,419	108	\$11,321	\$85	\$10,253
Independents.....	348	107,655	81.6	78.9		79	4,652	47	8,581	46	8,482
Chains.....	20	24,323	18.4	21.1		---	1,587	61	2,740	39	1,771
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	74	15,697	100.0	100.0	(2)	314	1,466	32	2,273	18	2,363
Independents.....	394	9,575	61.0	55.3		314	1,018	20	1,828	12	1,746
Chains.....	89	6,122	39.0	36.7		---	450	12	845	6	617
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	89	84,128	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,287	6,585	310	8,149	114	1,619
Independents.....	2,407	50,857	79.3	67.3	52.7	2,265	4,964	301	5,818	111	1,178
Chains.....	299	13,291	20.7	32.7	47.3	4	1,619	9	2,531	3	445
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	95	47,650	100.0	100.0	(2)	210	3,216	221	8,012	269	7,457
Independents.....	453	44,099	92.6	96.3		210	3,052	218	5,665	268	7,082
Chains.....	25	3,551	7.4	3.7		---	184	3	347	1	375
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	99	13,854	100.0	100.0	(2)	779	924	71	1,287	53	3,314
Independents.....	897	13,559	98.0	97.7		779	893	70	1,240	52	3,284
Chains.....	10	275	2.0	2.3		---	31	1	47	1	30
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	184	24,920	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,506	1,947	111	2,612	83	10,180
Independents.....	1,632	24,687	99.1	95.9	96.8	1,502	1,918	105	2,577	80	10,110
Chains.....	17	233	.9	4.1	2.8	4	29	6	35	3	70
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	12	341,385	100.0	100.0	100.0	10,463	81,085	9,812	73,866	3,497	10,348
Independents.....	10,439	245,785	72.0	72.8	74.7	10,450	54,295	8,419	50,601	2,589	9,804
Chains.....	977	94,743	27.8	27.0	25.3	7	26,452	5,272	22,955	854	533
Other types.....	22	877	.2	.2	---	6	358	121	310	54	9
Drug stores with fountain.....	27	50,934	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,291	3,437	945	7,197	442	9,191
Independents.....	1,442	33,242	85.3	80.9		1,259	4,172	789	4,378	383	4,299
Chains.....	156	17,692	34.7	39.1		2	2,265	158	2,621	79	1,892
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	97	37,868	100.0	100.0	(2)	2,145	3,524	920	4,177	506	12,085
Independents.....	2,394	37,214	98.3	95.7		2,145	3,444	917	4,085	504	11,971
Chains.....	18	654	1.7	4.2		---	80	3	112	2	94
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	911	52,552	100.0	100.0	---	682	2,373	120	4,240	72	8,966
Independents.....	909	52,552	100.0	98.0	---	682	2,373	120	4,240	72	8,966
Chains.....	2	---	---	1.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	15	104,477	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,174	6,379	1,544	10,552	1,226	3,178
Independents.....	2,315	65,111	62.3	58.7	45.9	2,113	4,047	984	6,587	717	1,732
Chains.....	72	59,090	37.4	41.1	53.8	1	2,319	559	3,965	509	1,426
Other types.....	60	306	.3	.2	.5	60	13	1	19	(3)	20
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	49	1,474	100.0	100.0	(2)	46	91	14	129	13	82
Independents.....	48	1,474	100.0	100.0		46	91	14	129	13	82
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	44	2,220	100.0	100.0	(2)	30	241	5	459	5	358
Independents.....	42	2,220	100.0	100.0		30	241	5	459	5	358
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	843	39,459	100.0	100.0	100.0	668	3,127	64	8,298	37	27,765
Independents.....	805	32,536	82.4	80.1	95.1	664	2,473	53	5,065	32	28,802
Chains.....	52	5,747	14.8	19.8	4.5	---	545	11	1,051	5	594
Other types.....	8	1,178	3.0	.3	.4	2	109	---	182	---	289
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	47	52,186	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,183	2,053	205	2,599	82	4,212
Independents.....	4,134	37,739	72.4	52.2	57.0	4,187	1,111	197	1,174	79	3,071
Chains.....	304	14,259	27.3	48.1	42.8	2	925	4	1,406	1	1,134
Other types.....	18	168	.3	1.7	.2	14	17	4	19	2	7
Florists.....	88	14,489	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,088	1,984	208	2,486	104	451
Independents.....	1,174	12,382	85.5	90.5		1,085	1,710	195	2,108	99	396
Chains.....	38	2,107	14.5	9.5		1	274	11	380	5	55
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	3	15,103	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,340	1,691	390	1,643	138	433
Independents.....	1,317	8,107	53.7	50.0		1,340	825	203	491	68	273
Chains.....	451	6,996	46.3	49.7		---	1,068	187	1,152	70	160
Other types.....	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	45,505	799,837	100.0	100.0	100.0	43,695	74,012	8,377	94,844	4,448	105,061

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
2 Comparable data not available.
3 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

BRONX BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	17,088	\$348,870	100.0	100.0	100.0	18,463	28,342	4,081	\$52,883	\$2,158	\$30,919
Independents.....	16,082	274,231	78.8	78.7	71.1	16,366	18,540	2,380	22,387	1,535	26,295
Single-store.....	14,967	237,143	68.0	67.8	60.4	15,408	15,467	2,027	18,641	1,171	25,463
Multiunit.....	406	27,837	8.0	7.3	10.6	188	2,591	255	3,158	111	2,627
Market and roadside stands.....	584	7,278	2.1	1.5	---	638	336	62	438	40	145
Leased departments—Independent.....	125	1,973	.5	.3	.1	134	146	36	150	13	60
Chains.....	927	73,721	21.1	22.9	28.4	27	7,643	1,878	10,277	818	4,588
Local chains.....	259	16,647	4.8	4.6	15.1	23	1,462	198	2,089	120	1,221
Sectional or national chains.....	553	46,976	13.5	17.6	11.9	3	5,183	1,596	6,862	661	2,649
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	99	8,179	2.3	.5	1.3	---	788	71	1,094	34	619
Leased-department chains.....	38	1,919	.5	.2	.1	1	210	13	252	3	99
Other types.....	79	918	.3	.4	.5	70	159	23	219	5	36
Utility-operated stores.....	Three stores cmbd with "Other types."										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	59	611	.2	.2	---	55	120	2	191	1	15
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	4	132	(1)	.1	---	---	12	5	15	1	9
Other types of operation.....	16	175	1	.1	(1)	15	27	18	13	3	12
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,623	44,906	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,507	1,559	510	1,798	141	4,019
Independents.....	2,357	35,400	78.8	85.6	55.2	2,500	884	139	881	55	3,504
Chains.....	262	9,305	20.7	16.4	44.8	4	662	168	900	85	500
Other types.....	4	201	.5	---	(1)	3	13	3	17	1	15
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	178	15,781	100.0	100.0	100.0	107	972	287	1,234	167	645
Independents.....	101	2,868	18.2	27.0	36.4	107	159	26	181	13	207
Chains.....	77	12,913	81.8	73.0	63.8	---	813	261	1,053	154	436
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	518	18,432	100.0	(2)	(e)	292	1,494	39	5,087	16	329
Independents.....	276	16,432	100.0	---	---	292	1,494	39	5,087	16	329
Chains.....	42	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,446	12,391	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,441	394	96	365	41	858
Independents.....	1,396	11,667	94.2	95.2	---	1,440	243	54	238	26	645
Chains.....	50	724	5.8	4.5	---	1	151	42	129	15	13
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Department stores.....	Seven stores combined with "All other kinds of business."										
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	156	7,105	100.0	100.0	100.0	121	1,209	484	921	237	997
Independents.....	122	948	13.3	9.5	---	120	61	9	47	3	333
Chains.....	34	6,157	86.7	90.5	100.0	1	1,148	475	874	234	664
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	247	7,358	100.0	100.0	100.0	180	454	48	745	23	1,730
Independents.....	221	3,735	50.7	53.2	66.4	180	197	22	335	17	1,240
Chains.....	26	3,623	49.3	46.8	32.7	---	257	28	410	6	490
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Family clothing stores.....	57	7,120	100.0	100.0	100.0	51	675	84	756	39	631
Independents.....	57	7,120	100.0	100.0	100.0	51	675	84	756	39	631
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	256	4,110	100.0	100.0	100.0	237	388	39	503	28	606
Independents.....	246	4,110	100.0	15.2	26.9	237	388	39	503	26	606
Chains.....	10	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	238	7,853	100.0	100.0	100.0	149	625	176	862	110	1,871
Independents.....	174	2,664	33.9	41.7	51.2	149	170	25	271	23	1,172
Chains.....	63	5,189	66.1	56.7	37.3	---	455	151	591	87	699
Leased departments.....	1	---	1.6	---	11.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	117	6,814	100.0	100.0	100.0	84	460	19	899	13	1,129
Independents.....	112	3,940	57.8	69.7	76.2	84	328	14	828	9	950
Chains.....	5	2,874	42.2	30.3	---	---	132	5	271	4	179
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	35	1,388	100.0	(2)	(2)	20	198	8	318	4	185
Independents.....	24	1,388	100.0	---	---	20	198	6	318	4	185
Chains.....	11	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Utility-operated stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	39	2,343	100.0	(2)	(2)	28	160	8	239	4	502
Independents.....	33	1,231	52.5	---	---	28	95	4	121	2	200
Chains.....	6	1,112	47.5	---	---	---	65	4	118	2	102
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	21	289	100.0	(2)	(2)	20	31	7	30	3	60
Independents.....	21	289	100.0	---	---	20	31	7	30	3	60
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

BRONX BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	54	\$18,597	100.0	100.0	(8)	15	763	9	\$1,373	\$5	\$1,296
Independents.....	52			88.2							
Chains.....	2	16,597	100.0	11.8		15	763	9	1,373	5	1,296
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	99	1,976	100.0	100.0	(2)	73	215	1	283	1	447
Independents.....	81	1,306	68.1	63.3		73	152	1	201	1	317
Chains.....	18	670	33.9	36.7			63		62		130
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	414	9,032	100.0	100.0	100.0	345	898	40	1,138	17	238
Independents.....	365	7,155	79.2	65.3	39.4	344	664	40	771	17	162
Chains.....	49	1,877	20.8	34.7	60.6	1	234		365		74
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	67	5,162	100.0	100.0	(2)	21	490	23	869	24	630
Independents.....	67	5,162	100.0	100.0		21	490	23	869	24	630
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores ³	140	2,337	100.0	100.0	(2)	123	133	10	180	8	484
Independents.....	140	2,337	100.0	99.9		123	133	10	180	8	484
Chains.....				.1							
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	205	2,894	100.0	100.0	100.0	189	205	11	256	8	1,014
Independents.....	203			95.0							
Chains.....	2	2,894	100.0	100.0	5.0	189	205	11	256	8	1,014
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,048	21,096	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,105	4,004	638	3,664	187	275
Independents.....	1,007	18,451	87.5	90.5		1,103	3,214	350	3,087	131	266
Chains.....	38	2,645	12.5	9.5	100.0	2	790	288	577	56	9
Other types.....	3			(1)							
Drug stores with fountain.....	185	2,976	100.0	100.0	(2)	149	274	60	285	48	697
Independents.....	159			63.6							
Chains.....	4	2,976	100.0	18.2		149	274	60	285	48	697
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	448	7,268	100.0	100.0	(2)	409	628	184	757	121	2,133
Independents.....	448	7,268	100.0	100.0		409	628	184	757	121	2,133
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	112	5,261	100.0	100.0	---	87	247	14	445	9	835
Independents.....	111			97.7	---						
Chains.....	1	5,261	100.0	---	---	87	247	14	445	9	835
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....				2.3	---						
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	281	16,258	100.0	100.0	100.0	247	910	355	1,637	345	517
Independents.....	226			60.7	45.6						
Chains.....	6	16,160	99.4	38.7	56.2	196	906	354	1,636	345	517
Other types.....	49	96	.8	.6	---	49	2	1	1	(*)	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	7	202	100.0	100.0	(2)	8	12	---	16	---	2
Independents.....	7	202	100.0	100.0		8	12	---	16	---	2
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	5	52	100.0	100.0	(2)	2	5	---	6	---	2
Independents.....	5	52	100.0	100.0		2	5	---	6	---	2
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	66	1,616	100.0	100.0	100.0	62	103	5	163	3	563
Independents.....	83	767	47.5	94.6		62	43	3	64	2	486
Chains.....	3	649	52.5	5.4	---	---	60	2	119	1	77
Other type.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	674	5,905	100.0	100.0	100.0	666	108	15	127	6	354
Independents.....	658	5,073	85.9	79.0	56.9	666	53	15	41	6	293
Chains.....	16	632	14.1	13.5	43.1	---	55	---	86	---	61
Other type.....				7.5	---						
Florists.....	136	616	100.0	100.0	(2)	135	67	10	65	3	18
Independents.....	136	616	100.0	100.0		135	67	10	65	3	16
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	152	609	100.0	100.0	(2)	122	92	26	75	9	7
Independents.....	119	538	86.5	63.6		122	34	13	19	3	1
Chains.....	33	271	33.5	15.9		---	58	15	56	6	6
Other types.....				.5							
All other kinds of business.....	7,286	114,719	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,450	6,549	1,055	9,749	540	6,271

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Includes 9 electrical supply stores.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:

STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

BROOKLYN BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	38,748	\$769,057	100.0	100.0	100.0	36,896	65,972	10,464	\$90,109	\$4,524	\$79,682
Independents.....	36,604	591,825	77.0	74.6	74.6	36,580	46,970	6,514	55,396	2,791	87,685
Single-store.....	34,636	507,358	66.0	64.5	63.6	35,078	37,549	5,176	42,865	2,498	58,641
Multiunit.....	966	77,099	10.0	9.1	10.5	452	9,120	1,259	12,210	264	8,892
Market and roadside stands.....	866	5,709	.8	.8	.5	911	186	59	187	22	96
Leased departments—Independent.....	138	1,659	.2	.2	—	139	115	20	134	9	56
Chains.....	2,040	171,175	22.2	24.9	25.2	44	18,144	3,758	23,438	1,894	11,728
Local chains.....	810	55,687	7.2	7.0	12.4	38	5,113	597	7,246	237	4,183
Sectional or national chains.....	952	97,942	12.7	17.3	11.6	3	10,957	2,906	13,738	1,555	8,052
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	221	14,992	2.0	.4	1.0	1	1,745	185	2,115	71	1,329
Leased-department chains.....	57	2,554	.3	.2	.2	2	329	68	341	31	164
Other types.....	104	6,057	.8	.5	.2	72	858	194	1,275	39	469
Utility-operated stores.....	15	3,455	.5	—	.1	5	318	21	740	18	553
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	46	1,841	.2	.3	(1)	51	469	158	431	17	69
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	4	52	(1)	(1)	—	—	7	5	3	(2)	6
Other types of operation.....	39	929	.1	.2	.1	36	64	12	101	4	41
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,953	97,998	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,445	4,194	841	4,361	281	9,630
Independents.....	5,250	71,488	72.9	72.0	62.4	5,438	2,189	382	2,074	134	7,736
Chains.....	697	26,451	27.0	28.0	37.3	3	1,998	456	2,284	147	1,894
Other types.....	8	61	.1	—	.3	4	7	3	3	(2)	10
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	389	28,042	100.0	100.0	100.0	247	1,634	455	1,858	195	960
Independents.....	245	4,351	16.7	25.4	28.0	247	239	24	248	9	258
Chains.....	124	21,691	83.3	74.4	74.0	—	1,395	431	1,608	186	702
Other types.....	—	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	415	24,505	100.0	(3)	(3)	420	2,404	45	5,083	18	343
Independents.....	400	7,703	31.4	—	—	420	310	42	465	17	303
Chains.....	15	16,802	88.6	—	—	—	2,094	3	4,618	1	40
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	3,858	24,585	100.0	100.0	(5)	3,590	1,093	244	746	78	1,137
Independents.....	3,510	21,918	89.1	92.5	—	3,589	435	118	360	43	1,072
Chains.....	148	2,669	10.9	7.4	—	1	658	128	388	33	65
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	8	49,090	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	7,784	1,521	9,427	439	5,448
Independents.....	5	44,666	91.0	94.0	100.0	—	7,267	1,308	8,839	302	4,995
Chains.....	3	4,424	9.0	6.0	—	—	497	213	588	137	453
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	406	15,410	100.0	100.0	100.0	338	2,811	1,201	2,114	593	2,185
Independents.....	348	2,459	16.0	7.2	12.8	338	213	30	170	11	879
Chains.....	58	12,951	84.0	92.8	86.7	—	2,598	1,171	1,944	582	1,306
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	685	19,218	100.0	100.0	100.0	529	1,280	105	2,165	46	4,948
Independents.....	630	12,471	64.9	65.3	67.3	529	782	70	1,312	37	3,859
Chains.....	55	8,747	35.1	34.1	31.9	—	498	35	871	9	1,089
Other types.....	—	—	—	.6	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	124	3,207	100.0	100.0	100.0	108	350	31	486	15	722
Independents.....	119	2,607	81.3	92.1	97.1	106	264	28	394	14	666
Chains.....	5	600	18.7	7.9	2.0	—	66	3	92	1	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	713	23,565	100.0	100.0	100.0	651	2,429	348	2,858	161	2,402
Independents.....	693	19,971	84.7	76.3	70.3	651	1,871	234	2,252	129	2,085
Chains.....	20	3,594	15.3	23.7	29.1	1	558	112	608	32	337
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	704	18,205	100.0	100.0	100.0	487	1,411	398	2,050	223	4,820
Independents.....	551	6,367	35.0	38.1	49.0	462	378	42	629	26	2,598
Chains.....	162	11,185	61.3	62.2	37.4	2	966	337	1,339	165	1,930
Leased departments.....	11	673	3.7	1.7	—	3	69	19	62	12	92
Other types.....	—	—	—	13.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	278	18,852	100.0	100.0	100.0	173	1,420	59	2,381	35	5,159
Independents.....	250	8,937	53.0	67.2	68.8	173	691	49	1,125	30	2,118
Chains.....	28	7,915	47.0	32.8	31.4	—	729	10	1,256	5	1,043
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	108	7,070	100.0	(3)	(3)	68	793	33	1,553	29	854
Independents.....	78	2,238	31.7	—	—	67	213	11	373	10	541
Chains.....	19	1,443	20.4	—	—	1	285	2	441	1	171
Utility-operated stores.....	11	3,338	47.9	—	—	—	517	20	739	18	342
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	103	4,912	100.0	(3)	(3)	82	329	28	543	17	689
Independents.....	84	2,736	55.7	—	—	62	191	21	289	14	407
Chains.....	19	2,178	44.3	—	—	—	138	7	254	3	282
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	49	857	100.0	(3)	(3)	51	48	3	87	3	114
Independents.....	49	657	100.0	—	—	51	48	3	87	3	114
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

BROOKLYN BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	107	\$37,600	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	1,711	8	\$2,956	\$7	\$2,848
Independents.....	100	31,287	83.2	77.4		14	1,302	8	2,331	7	2,482
Chains.....	7	6,313	16.8	22.6			409		625		366
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers *.....	175	4,314	100.0	100.0	(3)	119	458	15	647	7	755
Independents.....	150	2,468	57.2	62.9		119	313	11	438	5	583
Chains.....	25	1,846	42.8	37.1			145	4	209	2	172
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	923	21,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	805	2,448	105	2,767	43	534
Independents.....	850	18,913	86.7	77.0	64.0	804	2,055	105	2,169	43	433
Chains.....	73	2,913	13.3	23.0	36.0	1	391		598		101
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	161	15,248	100.0	100.0	(3)	76	968	40	1,881	58	2,710
Independents.....	156	13,880	91.0	100.0		76	917	40	1,774	58	2,641
Chains.....	5	1,368	9.0				51		107		69
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	354	4,403	100.0	100.0	(3)	306	239	18	312	9	1,282
Independents.....	351	4,359	99.0	98.3		306	233	17	304	8	1,277
Chains.....	3	44	1.0	1.7			6	1	8	1	5
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	596	7,171	100.0	100.0	100.0	582	483	29	627	17	3,432
Independents.....	590			99.0	98.9						
Chains.....	6	7,171	100.0	1.0	1.1	582	483	29	827	17	3,432
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,982	53,705	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,191	10,170	1,285	9,366	478	781
Independents.....	2,899	47,646	88.7	90.8	90.2	3,188	8,500	962	7,977	404	724
Chains.....	80	6,027	11.2	9.1	9.8	3	1,658	318	1,384	72	58
Other types.....	3	52	.1	.3		2	12	7	5	2	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	453	8,680	100.0	100.0	(3)	427	923	223	957	102	2,150
Independents.....	443	8,029	92.5	78.3		427	838	217	849	100	2,065
Chains.....	10	651	7.5	21.7			85	8	108	2	85
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	1,034	13,335	100.0	100.0	(3)	972	1,151	377	1,239	195	5,128
Independents.....	1,030	13,085	98.1	95.4		972	1,124	377	1,195	195	5,092
Chains.....	4	250	1.9	4.6			27		43		38
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	254	10,315	100.0	100.0		212	437	34	748	19	1,875
Independents.....	254	10,315	100.0	100.0		212	437	34	748	19	1,873
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	744	32,034	100.0	100.0	100.0	631	1,894	338	3,241	270	935
Independents.....	711	18,933	59.1	57.7	52.7	630	1,086	134	1,798	100	300
Chains.....	33	13,101	40.9	42.3	46.1	1	808	204	1,443	170	835
Other types.....				(1)	1.2						
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	17	247	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	17		20		13
Independents.....	17	247	100.0	100.0		14	17		20		13
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	9	99	100.0	100.0	(3)	9	12	1	19	1	14
Independents.....	9	99	100.0	100.0		9	12	1	19	1	14
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	137	3,659	100.0	100.0	100.0	113	344	14	651	7	1,522
Independents.....	128	2,178	59.5	51.3	85.7	113	212	11	354	8	1,384
Chains.....	9	1,481	40.5	48.7	14.3		132	3	297	1	138
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	1,308	11,274	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,278	284	37	334	13	793
Independents.....	1,264	9,502	84.3	56.6	71.9	1,278	158	37	138	13	850
Chains.....	44	1,772	15.7	39.3	28.0		128		196		143
Other types.....				4.1	.1						
Florists.....	337	2,937	100.0	100.0	(3)	322	438	57	535	28	111
Independents.....	333	2,804	95.5			322	422	56	504	28	109
Chains.....	4	133	4.5				16	1	31	(2)	2
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	288	2,123	100.0	100.0	(3)	211	214	48	206	14	63
Independents.....	212	1,228	57.8	35.1		211	51	20	37	7	40
Chains.....	74	895	42.2	64.9			183	28	189	7	23
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	15,298	208,771	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,268	15,823	2,527	17,916	1,125	17,747

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Includes one motorcycle dealer and one motorboat, yacht dealer.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MANHATTAN BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	40,092	\$1,588,758	100.0	100.0	100.0	33,817	201,800	22,781	\$256,695	\$11,552	\$221,832
Independents.....	36,331	1,183,814	73.3	72.4	70.7	33,590	141,711	15,011	184,656	8,145	186,604
Single-store.....	32,968	967,660	60.9	60.7	58.9	31,143	119,454	13,111	151,713	7,157	155,329
Multunit.....	1,477	184,324	11.6	10.9	11.4	558	21,480	1,779	32,054	938	30,669
Market and roadside stands.....	1,591	6,220	.4	.6	.3	1,582	302	778	280	33	55
Leased departments—Independent.....	295	5,610	.4	.2	.1	307	475	43	819	17	551
Chains.....	3,491	392,764	24.7	28.4	26.3	54	55,951	7,379	68,968	3,242	31,058
Local chains.....	1,094	103,711	6.5	7.4	10.1	40	18,582	1,859	19,188	545	8,325
Sectional or national chains.....	1,900	223,115	14.0	16.0	16.2	12	33,090	5,068	37,995	2,475	18,536
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	384	61,551	3.9	.8	1.8	---	5,756	401	8,997	193	5,658
Leased-department chains.....	113	4,387	.3	.2	.2	2	543	51	710	51	537
Other types.....	270	32,178	2.0	1.2	1.0	173	3,938	371	5,171	165	3,972
Utility-operated stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Other types."	7,461	.5	.2	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	72	23,617	1.4	---	---	53	1,382	215	1,794	88	203
Commissaries or company stores.....	One store cmbd with "Other types."	1,100	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	17	23,617	1.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types of operation.....	181	23,617	1.4	---	---	120	2,554	83	3,162	34	3,734
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	3,713	77,577	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,300	4,303	528	4,904	235	8,144
Independents.....	3,196	56,365	72.7	71.5	55.2	2,999	2,688	271	2,626	112	5,043
Chains.....	517	21,214	27.3	28.4	44.8	1	1,635	257	2,078	123	1,096
Other types.....	Four stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	528	57,532	100.0	100.0	100.0	403	3,044	516	3,850	269	1,823
Independents.....	545	13,319	35.5	35.8	63.8	402	955	70	1,209	24	981
Chains.....	163	24,213	64.5	64.2	36.4	1	2,089	448	2,641	245	842
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	197	14,983	100.0	(2)	(2)	203	1,876	28	4,102	14	254
Independents.....	175	3,827	25.5	---	---	203	150	11	196	5	195
Chains.....	22	11,158	74.5	---	---	---	1,726	15	3,904	9	59
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	2,214	17,262	100.0	100.0	(2)	2,110	1,547	255	1,260	111	824
Independents.....	2,047	11,559	67.0	64.1	---	2,106	440	95	403	44	495
Chains.....	167	5,703	33.0	32.9	---	4	907	162	857	67	131
Other types.....	---	---	---	3.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	20	230,354	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	32,108	4,134	44,137	2,310	26,772
Independents.....	14	228,083	99.0	93.3	93.3	1	31,786	4,003	43,656	2,248	26,485
Chains.....	6	2,271	1.0	6.7	8.7	---	542	131	301	82	307
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	201	28,965	100.0	100.0	100.0	132	5,358	2,001	4,276	1,054	2,974
Independents.....	140	1,432	4.9	3.8	5.8	130	188	21	160	11	424
Chains.....	61	27,533	95.1	96.4	95.4	2	5,190	1,980	4,118	1,043	2,550
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	1,208	72,901	100.0	100.0	100.0	778	6,007	355	10,325	195	17,218
Independents.....	1,024	37,342	51.2	53.2	53.9	770	3,185	205	5,664	142	10,157
Chains.....	175	34,750	47.7	45.6	44.3	2	2,764	149	4,590	53	8,991
Other types.....	9	809	1.1	1.2	1.8	6	58	1	71	(3)	88
Family clothing stores.....	111	34,354	100.0	100.0	(2)	89	4,775	300	6,841	139	5,849
Independents.....	106	32,116	93.5	90.1	---	89	4,562	300	6,278	139	5,550
Chains.....	5	2,238	6.5	9.9	---	---	413	---	565	---	299
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,070	122,435	100.0	100.0	100.0	810	13,515	1,351	19,964	871	12,374
Independents.....	1,009	84,842	69.3	77.4	65.9	805	9,419	845	14,232	677	8,472
Chains.....	52	25,707	21.0	21.7	31.8	2	2,887	418	4,481	185	1,855
Other types.....	9	11,886	9.7	.9	4.5	3	1,209	88	1,251	9	2,247
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	788	37,394	100.0	100.0	100.0	383	3,434	723	5,433	420	8,579
Independents.....	483	11,487	30.8	31.2	31.8	375	1,031	120	1,839	90	3,801
Chains.....	288	24,064	64.3	67.8	58.3	5	2,251	583	3,347	320	4,285
Leased departments.....	37	1,843	4.9	1.0	---	5	152	20	247	10	493
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	343	33,583	100.0	100.0	100.0	244	3,238	56	5,709	50	5,518
Independents.....	331	17,702	52.7	70.4	78.1	244	1,579	44	2,799	44	3,155
Chains.....	12	15,681	47.3	29.8	21.9	---	1,659	12	2,910	6	2,161
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	91	5,489	100.0	(2)	(2)	70	599	14	1,006	9	827
Independents.....	65	1,712	31.2	---	---	65	151	9	201	7	230
Chains.....	22	1,674	30.5	---	---	3	317	4	530	1	171
Utility-operated stores.....	1	2,103	38.3	---	---	2	151	1	275	1	228
Other types.....	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	88	9,323	100.0	(2)	(2)	51	625	20	1,053	12	1,157
Independents.....	80	4,465	47.9	---	---	46	304	10	474	8	533
Chains.....	20	4,145	44.5	---	---	---	282	9	509	6	502
Other types.....	8	713	7.8	---	---	5	39	1	70	(3)	122
Radio stores—other.....	94	5,099	100.0	(2)	(2)	82	351	6	587	4	697
Independents.....	90	3,888	76.3	---	---	62	286	6	462	4	614
Chains.....	4	1,211	23.7	---	---	---	45	---	105	---	83
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MANHATTAN BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	63	\$40,319	100.0	100.0	(2)	5	2,099	69	\$5,862	\$45	\$3,045
Independents	55	25,273	82.7	66.6		5	1,084	12	2,010	7	1,808
Chains	8	15,046	37.3	33.4			1,015	57	1,852	38	1,237
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	101	5,124	100.0	100.0	(2)	56	441	7	835	6	615
Independents	87	3,950	77.1	63.4		56	355	5	692	5	512
Chains	14	1,174	22.9	36.6		—	86	2	143	1	103
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations	330	12,725	100.0	100.0	100.0	149	1,433	44	2,053	20	297
Independents	233	6,980	54.9	41.5	30.2	147	760	36	1,020	17	121
Chains	97	5,745	45.1	58.5	69.8	2	673	8	1,033	3	176
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers	97	8,750	100.0	100.0	(2)	39	676	29	1,231	26	1,337
Independents	84	6,949	79.4	87.5		39	582	26	1,026	25	1,105
Chains	13	1,801	20.6	12.5		—	114	3	205	1	232
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	280	4,868	100.0	100.0	(2)	238	406	26	570	22	961
Independents	273	4,637	95.3	95.5		236	381	26	531	22	936
Chains	7	231	4.7	4.5		—	25	—	39	—	25
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	480	9,388	100.0	100.0	100.0	393	889	44	1,220	22	3,406
Independents	471	9,275	98.8	90.7	94.7	392	875	42	1,203	21	3,367
Chains	9	113	1.2	9.3		1	14	2	17	1	39
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places	5,649	226,650	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,664	58,792	7,008	53,331	2,500	8,916
Independents	5,025	148,868	65.7	65.7	68.2	4,660	36,415	4,438	33,768	1,768	8,461
Chains	612	77,078	34.0	34.2	31.8	4	22,117	2,479	19,514	684	450
Other types	12	704	.3	.1		—	260	91	249	48	5
Drug stores with fountain	553	30,335	100.0	100.0	(2)	303	4,364	449	5,023	208	4,282
Independents	435	15,393	50.7	50.7		302	2,433	302	2,644	132	2,719
Chains	118	14,942	49.3	49.3		1	1,931	147	2,379	76	1,563
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	573	11,560	100.0	100.0	(2)	451	1,259	225	1,648	127	3,150
Independents	586	11,515	97.9	94.2		451	1,225	222	1,606	125	3,122
Chains	7	245	2.1	5.5		—	34	3	42	2	28
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	369	29,606	100.0	100.0	—	225	1,386	46	2,894	30	5,073
Independents	368	29,606	100.0	97.1	—	225	1,388	46	2,694	30	5,073
Chains	1	—	—	2.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	922	37,518	100.0	100.0	100.0	862	2,220	634	3,602	424	852
Independents	909	21,711	57.9	57.0	38.6	862	1,385	443	2,184	259	554
Chains	13	15,807	42.1	42.9	61.4	—	855	191	1,438	165	298
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores	7	29	100.0	100.0	(2)	7	1	—	1	—	—
Independents	7	29	100.0	100.0		7	1	—	1	—	—
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores	21	1,952	100.0	100.0	(2)	12	210	2	414	2	324
Independents	19	1,952	100.0	50.7		12	210	2	414	2	324
Chains	1	—	—	49.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores	554	31,924	100.0	100.0	100.0	425	2,481	40	5,122	25	24,953
Independents	541	29,502	91.8	84.0	96.5	425	2,205	35	4,641	23	24,862
Chains	13	2,422	8.2	15.7	3.1	—	276	5	481	2	271
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands	1,911	28,450	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,656	1,483	131	1,934	57	2,493
Independents	1,661	17,123	60.2	45.0	46.6	1,641	752	125	850	55	1,587
Chains	254	11,179	39.3	54.1	53.1	2	718	4	1,086	1	902
Other types	18	148	.5	.9	.3	13	15	2	18	1	4
Florists	479	8,853	100.0	100.0	(2)	376	1,234	108	1,610	52	228
Independents	450	6,948	78.5	86.5		375	994	103	1,287	51	178
Chains	29	1,905	21.5	13.5		1	240	5	323	1	50
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	1,145	10,568	100.0	100.0	(2)	877	1,249	284	1,245	105	273
Independents	855	5,352	50.6	49.7		877	501	159	411	56	156
Chains	290	5,216	49.4	50.0		—	748	125	834	49	117
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	15,894	362,886	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,445	40,417	3,328	56,851	2,188	71,221

* Employee and pay roll include paid executive of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

QUEENS BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types ¹	16,699	\$435,133	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,472	37,708	5,420	\$46,142	\$2,473	\$38,855
Independents.....	14,921	305,969	70.3	68.5	67.4	14,426	24,198	2,824	29,619	1,368	31,812
Single-store.....	14,219	276,671	63.6	61.0	58.8	14,016	21,760	2,543	25,512	1,253	29,086
Multiunit.....	580	27,901	6.4	7.1	8.6	287	2,296	232	3,184	103	2,697
Market and roadside stands.....	45	243	(2)	.1	---	43	26	6	28	3	1
Leased departments—Independent.....	77	1,154	.3	.3	---	80	116	43	95	9	28
Chains.....	1,735	125,028	28.7	31.0	31.9	26	12,879	2,452	16,695	1,079	6,875
Local chains.....	640	35,455	8.1	7.5	16.8	25	3,047	350	4,099	137	2,037
Sectional or national chains.....	874	78,564	18.1	22.7	13.0	---	8,817	1,999	11,205	892	4,172
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	159	8,861	2.0	.6	2.0	---	837	68	1,174	34	629
Leased-department chains.....	62	2,148	.5	.2	.1	1	178	35	217	18	37
Other types.....	43	4,136	1.0	.5	.7	20	631	144	828	26	168
Utility-operated stores.....	3	1,160	.3	---	.4	---	45	---	127	---	126
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	21	1,147	.3	.2	.3	8	545	156	351	24	17
Commissaries or company stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Other types."					(2)	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	3	55	(2)	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	1
Other types of operation.....	16	1,794	.4	.3	(2)	9	241	6	370	2	24
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,220	50,817	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,841	2,528	405	2,512	137	4,406
Independents.....	1,600	31,024	61.0	61.7	42.1	1,838	1,053	128	1,048	50	3,187
Chains.....	420	19,793	39.0	38.3	57.9	3	1,275	277	1,464	87	1,239
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	357	25,409	100.0	100.0	100.0	228	1,578	422	1,781	180	1,107
Independents.....	223	5,480	21.6	26.0	24.5	228	292	25	328	16	357
Chains.....	134	19,929	78.4	73.9	75.1	---	1,286	397	1,455	164	750
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	97	16,920	100.0	(3)	(3)	65	2,133	13	4,597	5	171
Independents.....	73	2,396	14.2	---	---	65	214	5	508	3	95
Chains.....	24	14,524	85.8	---	---	---	1,919	8	4,289	2	76
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	1,190	9,786	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,155	354	65	306	28	633
Independents.....	1,133	8,700	88.8	85.4	---	1,155	183	30	154	14	615
Chains.....	57	1,086	11.2	9.6	---	---	171	35	152	14	18
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	8	10,099	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	1,228	250	1,521	102	1,259
Independents.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	4	10,099	100.0	33.3	100.0	1	1,228	250	1,521	102	1,259
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	137	9,588	100.0	100.0	100.0	92	1,821	852	1,343	412	1,324
Independents.....	98	1,165	12.2	8.4	8.1	92	115	31	92	12	394
Chains.....	39	8,423	87.8	91.6	91.9	---	1,706	821	1,251	400	930
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	216	8,293	100.0	100.0	100.0	157	511	38	849	20	2,051
Independents.....	195	5,176	62.4	63.9	73.4	157	305	26	492	17	1,592
Chains.....	21	3,117	37.6	36.1	26.4	---	206	12	357	3	459
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	73	2,506	100.0	100.0	100.0	59	210	35	264	22	520
Independents.....	65	---	---	97.0	93.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	8	2,506	100.0	3.0	8.7	59	210	35	264	22	520
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	304	7,954	100.0	100.0	100.0	266	704	143	773	69	981
Independents.....	288	8,607	83.0	84.0	93.1	266	604	127	664	58	858
Chains.....	16	1,347	17.0	16.0	5.5	---	100	16	109	11	123
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	239	7,627	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	595	177	804	107	1,604
Independents.....	157	2,197	28.8	38.0	54.7	120	146	19	234	12	888
Chains.....	80	---	---	62.5	28.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Leased departments.....	2	5,430	71.2	1.5	18.8	---	449	158	570	95	718
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	110	8,959	100.0	100.0	100.0	71	604	18	1,124	13	1,259
Independents.....	100	4,227	47.2	57.0	65.8	71	373	11	620	11	831
Chains.....	10	4,732	52.8	43.0	34.2	---	231	5	504	2	428
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	78	4,174	100.0	(3)	(3)	44	405	7	669	3	461
Independents.....	57	1,992	47.7	---	---	44	200	6	280	3	239
Chains.....	15	995	23.8	---	---	---	156	1	256	(4)	94
Utility-operated stores.....	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	1,187	28.5	---	---	---	49	---	133	---	128
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	53	2,821	100.0	(3)	(3)	33	188	15	316	11	318
Independents.....	46	1,353	51.6	---	---	33	122	11	190	9	209
Chains.....	7	1,268	48.4	---	---	---	66	4	126	2	109
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	22	447	100.0	(3)	(3)	18	36	1	43	(4)	85
Independents.....	22	447	100.0	---	---	18	36	1	43	(4)	85
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

QUEENS BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	112	\$31,732	100.0	100.0	(3)	29	1,591	15	\$2,685	\$18	\$2,643
Independents.....	109			89.0		29	1,591	15	2,665	18	2,643
Chains.....	3	31,732	100.0	11.0							
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	94	3,931	100.0	100.0	(3)	59	316	8	461	4	497
Independents.....	66	1,714	43.6	62.8		59	181	3	276	1	317
Chains.....	28	2,217	56.4	37.4			135	5	185	3	180
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	862	18,488	100.0	100.0	100.0	780	1,667	112	2,059	29	485
Independents.....	786	15,766	85.3	75.9	60.5	780	1,350	111	1,526	29	393
Chains.....	78	2,722	14.7	24.1	39.5		317	1	533	(*)	92
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	130	15,910	100.0	100.0	(3)	61	862	83	1,668	100	2,277
Independents.....	123	15,548	97.7	98.8		61	843	83	1,633	100	2,203
Chains.....	7	362	2.3	1.2			19		35		74
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	132	2,154	100.0	100.0	(3)	112	143	17	219	14	590
Independents.....	132	2,154	100.0	99.8		112	143	17	219	14	590
Chains.....				.2							
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	308	4,732	100.0	100.0	100.0	288	317	23	427	14	1,945
Independents.....	308	4,732	100.0	99.8	100.0	288	317	23	427	14	1,945
Chains.....				.2							
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,514	37,241	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,268	7,644	810	7,114	305	355
Independents.....	1,266	28,218	75.8	88.6	100.0	1,267	5,706	599	5,393	259	315
Chains.....	245	8,945	24.0	10.4			1,894	207	1,672	45	19
Other types.....	3	78	.2	1.0		1	44	4	49	1	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	367	7,567	100.0	100.0	(3)	324	751	165	795	74	1,705
Independents.....	345	6,034	79.7	59.4		323	564	162	547	73	1,528
Chains.....	22	1,533	20.3	40.6		1	187	3	248	1	177
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	331	5,477	100.0	100.0	(3)	291	468	130	515	61	1,555
Independents.....	328	5,318	97.1	100.0		291	449	130	488	61	1,525
Chains.....	5	159	2.9				19		27		30
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	151	6,685	100.0	100.0	---	136	276	24	422	13	1,038
Independents.....	151	6,685	100.0	99.2	---	136	276	24	422	13	1,038
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....				.8							
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	385	15,185	100.0	100.0	100.0	310	1,072	169	1,670	145	657
Independents.....	346	9,051	59.8	58.1	37.8	310	595	88	955	78	362
Chains.....	19	6,134	40.4	41.7	82.2		477	81	715	69	295
Other types.....				.2							
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	11	518	100.0	100.0	(3)	12	29	3	54	4	23
Independents.....	11	518	100.0	100.0		12	29	3	54	4	23
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	9	117	100.0	100.0	(3)	7	14	2	20	2	18
Independents.....	9	117	100.0	100.0		7	14	2	20	2	18
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	74	2,048	100.0	100.0	100.0	80	176	5	304	2	820
Independents.....	71	1,344	65.7	85.1	74.0	60	114	4	173	1	545
Chains.....	3	702	34.3	14.9	28.0		62	1	131	1	75
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	525	5,988	100.0	100.0	100.0	524	155	16	158	5	529
Independents.....	518			83.5		524	155	18	158	5	529
Chains.....	7	5,988	100.0	16.5	100.0						
Other types.....											
Florists.....	224	1,700	100.0	100.0	(3)	215	206	29	236	21	79
Independents.....	219	1,631	95.9	100.0		215	188	24	210	17	76
Chains.....	5	89	4.1				18	5	26	4	3
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	172	1,472	100.0	100.0	(3)	119	128	28	118	10	74
Independents.....	118	858	58.3	52.0		119	31	7	23	2	60
Chains.....	54	614	41.7	48.0			97	21	93	8	14
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	6,218	108,980	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,727	9,198	1,342	10,337	543	7,606

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 These totals include data for 298 establishments, with sales of \$13,735,000, located at the New York World's Fair. The principal kinds of business represented were eating-drinking places and souvenir-novelty shops.

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

RICHMOND BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	2,592	\$50,776	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,307	4,211	642	\$4,659	\$412	\$5,202
Independents.....	2,351	37,881	74.6	71.7	76.2	2,286	2,906	503	3,276	274	4,414
Single-store.....	2,242	34,499	67.9	67.3	73.3	2,206	2,643	456	2,936	237	4,071
Multiunit.....	73	3,171	6.3	4.0	4.9	47	239	38	326	34	329
Market and roadside stands.....	24	36	.1	.2	---	22	7	2	4	1	9
Leased departments—-independent.....	12	175	.3	.2	---	11	17	7	10	2	5
Chains.....	217	12,178	24.0	27.5	20.7	3	1,220	335	1,441	136	756
Local chains.....	123	4,252	8.4	9.6	10.4	3	467	64	501	21	282
Sectional or national chains.....	66	7,631	15.0	17.1	10.3	---	714	247	891	114	439
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	6	293	.6	.6	---	---	39	4	49	1	35
Leased-department chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	24	721	1.4	.6	1.1	16	65	4	142	2	32
Utility-operated stores.....	4	226	.4	.3	.7	---	25	---	50	---	6
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	10	445	.9	.4	---	6	54	---	86	---	24
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types of operation.....	10	48	.1	.1	.4	10	6	4	4	2	---
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	371	6,390	100.0	100.0	100.0	217	483	112	479	34	505
Independents.....	222	1,876	29.4	32.6	---	217	59	15	41	6	201
Chains.....	149	4,514	70.6	67.2	100.0	---	424	97	438	28	304
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	128	5,073	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	286	65	308	36	196
Independents.....	117	2,565	50.6	62.9	78.6	120	138	21	138	8	126
Chains.....	11	2,508	49.4	37.1	21.4	---	150	64	170	28	70
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	16	1,617	100.0	(1)	(1)	12	173	2	383	1	9
Independents.....	13	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	1,617	100.0	---	---	12	173	2	383	1	9
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	157	954	100.0	100.0	(1)	155	32	9	21	2	72
Independents.....	154	664	92.7	92.5	---	155	18	6	9	2	70
Chains.....	3	70	7.3	7.5	---	---	16	3	12	(2)	2
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	Two stores combined with "All other kinds of business."										
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	22	1,193	100.0	100.0	100.0	14	252	126	167	53	164
Independents.....	17	173	14.5	13.6	5.6	14	16	3	15	(2)	70
Chains.....	5	1,020	85.5	86.4	94.4	---	234	123	152	53	114
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	35	553	100.0	100.0	100.0	33	49	7	53	2	244
Independents.....	35	553	100.0	100.0	100.0	33	49	7	53	2	244
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	23	345	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	28	6	23	2	116
Independents.....	22	345	100.0	100.0	100.0	23	28	6	23	2	116
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	44	593	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	56	13	41	5	115
Independents.....	42	593	100.0	86.2	100.0	37	56	13	41	5	115
Chains.....	2	---	---	11.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	32	727	100.0	100.0	100.0	20	62	21	72	6	176
Independents.....	19	141	19.4	26.8	60.7	17	7	1	11	1	79
Chains.....	13	586	80.6	73.2	39.3	3	55	20	61	7	97
Leased departments.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	22	567	100.0	100.0	100.0	18	50	1	79	1	141
Independents.....	22	567	100.0	100.0	100.0	18	50	1	79	1	141
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	9	346	100.0	(1)	(1)	3	43	---	79	---	19
Independents.....	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	118	34.1	---	---	3	18	---	29	---	11
Utility-operated stores.....	4	226	65.9	---	---	---	25	---	50	---	6
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	9	281	100.0	(1)	(1)	2	39	2	50	(2)	26
Independents.....	9	281	100.0	---	---	2	39	2	50	(2)	26
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	4	10	100.0	100.0	(1)	4	---	---	---	---	4
Independents.....	4	10	100.0	100.0	---	4	---	---	---	---	4
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

RICHMOND BOROUGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	30	\$5,710	100.0	100.0	(1)	16	255	7	\$465	\$10	\$421
Independents.....	30	5,710	100.0	100.0		16	255	7	465	10	421
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ⁵	17	410	100.0	100.0	(1)	10	59	1	52	(2)	58
Independents.....	13	195	47.6	88.9		10	18	---	28	---	26
Chains.....	4	215	52.4	51.1		---	21	1	26	(2)	52
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	177	2,057	100.0	100.0	100.0	188	139	9	134	5	67
Independents.....	173	2,023	98.3	79.6	67.4	188	135	9	132	5	67
Chains.....	4	34	1.7	20.4	52.6	---	4	---	2	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	23	2,560	100.0	100.0	(1)	13	220	46	363	61	503
Independents.....	23	2,560	100.0	100.0		13	220	46	363	61	503
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores ⁴	12	142	100.0	100.0	(1)	11	8	---	13	---	36
Independents.....	12	142	100.0	100.0		11	8	---	13	---	36
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	60	755	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	53	4	82	2	383
Independents.....	60	755	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	53	4	82	2	383
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	245	2,695	100.0	100.0	100.0	235	475	71	391	27	39
Independents.....	242	2,592	95.9	99.1	100.0	234	460	70	376	27	38
Chains.....	2	111	4.1	.9	---	1	15	1	15	(2)	1
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	62	1,374	100.0	100.0	(1)	58	125	28	137	10	357
Independents.....	60	1,374	100.0	78.0	---	58	125	28	137	10	357
Chains.....	2	---	---	22.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	24	228	100.0	100.0	(1)	22	18	4	19	2	99
Independents.....	24	228	100.0	100.0		22	18	4	19	2	99
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	25	685	100.0	100.0	---	22	27	2	51	1	147
Independents.....	25	685	100.0	100.0	---	22	27	2	51	1	147
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	135	5,482	100.0	100.0	100.0	124	285	48	402	42	217
Independents.....	129	5,294	94.6	100.0	---	119	272	48	364	42	197
Chains.....	1	188	5.4	---	100.0	5	11	---	18	---	20
Other types.....	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	7	478	100.0	100.0	(1)	7	32	11	38	9	44
Independents.....	6	478	100.0	100.0		7	32	11	38	9	44
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	12	214	100.0	100.0	100.0	6	25	---	38	---	107
Independents.....	8	121	56.5	55.3	100.0	6	8	---	15	---	74
Chains.....	4	93	43.5	44.7	---	---	15	---	23	---	33
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	38	549	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	23	6	26	1	45
Independents.....	37	549	100.0	100.0	100.0	41	23	6	26	1	45
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	36	181	100.0	100.0	(1)	38	19	2	20	(2)	17
Independents.....	35	181	100.0	100.0		38	19	2	20	(2)	17
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	13	151	100.0	100.0	(1)	11	8	4	1	(2)	16
Independents.....	13	151	100.0	100.0		11	8	4	1	(2)	16
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	804	10,520	100.0	100.0	100.0	795	909	215	892	98	857

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

¹ Comparable data not available.

² Less than \$500.

³ Includes one motorcycle dealer.

⁴ Includes two electrical supply stores.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NORTH CAROLINA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	33,626	\$633,240	100.0	100.0	100.0	29,890	79,404	18,704	\$60,052	\$4,406	\$79,483
Independents.....	31,767	494,628	78.1	78.0	83.0	29,776	56,132	9,234	44,715	2,438	65,060
Single-store.....	30,414	452,614	71.5	72.0	77.3	29,038	49,863	8,100	39,625	2,189	57,037
Multunit.....	1,132	40,690	6.4	5.6	5.7	521	6,112	1,087	5,002	256	5,856
Market and roadside stands.....	165	605	.1	.2	(1)	164	90	29	41	8	5
Leased departments—-independent.....	58	721	.1	.2	(1)	53	67	18	47	5	62
Chains.....	1,662	121,028	19.1	20.1	16.2	40	21,018	8,822	13,354	1,730	14,930
Local chains.....	219	9,628	1.5	1.7	4.8	23	1,496	516	1,163	60	1,272
Sectional or national chains.....	1,221	102,683	16.2	18.0	10.9	16	18,265	8,265	10,882	1,623	12,645
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	159	7,468	1.2	.2	.4	---	1,018	173	1,127	32	887
Leased-department chains.....	85	1,249	.2	.2	.1	1	241	70	182	15	146
Other types.....	397	17,584	2.8	1.9	.8	74	2,254	648	1,993	236	1,493
Utility-operated stores.....	78	2,260	.4	.5	.3	2	623	499	418	204	347
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	73	2,188	.3	.2	.2	38	786	84	702	14	147
Commissaries or company stores.....	66	3,547	.8	.5	.2	7	317	18	317	6	284
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	62	3,595	.5	.3	.1	---	193	18	195	5	306
Other types of operation.....	118	6,194	1.0	.4	(1)	27	335	29	351	9	409
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	6,427	36,688	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,706	2,638	939	1,506	184	3,058
Independents.....	6,159	26,561	71.9	68.5	63.1	5,696	1,543	515	720	90	2,405
Chains.....	246	10,169	27.7	31.1	36.2	---	1,080	420	775	92	638
Other types.....	22	158	.4	.4	.7	10	15	4	11	2	15
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,754	83,121	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,505	8,626	2,220	5,553	460	5,831
Independents.....	3,485	58,961	70.9	65.6	73.8	3,494	6,199	1,422	3,816	271	4,624
Chains.....	258	23,653	28.5	34.1	25.7	7	2,386	791	1,700	186	1,171
Other types.....	11	507	.8	.3	.5	4	41	7	37	3	36
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	95	3,081	100.0	(2)	(2)	59	702	90	601	21	71
Independents.....	79	2,854	92.6	---	---	57	623	49	566	16	71
Chains.....	13	227	7.4	---	---	2	79	41	35	5	---
Other types.....	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	265	906	100.0	100.0	(2)	235	158	43	81	8	42
Independents.....	256	834	92.1	84.7	---	232	149	41	72	8	35
Chains.....	4	72	7.9	14.8	---	3	9	2	9	(3)	7
Other types.....	5	---	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	119	37,488	100.0	100.0	100.0	15	7,076	2,585	4,931	562	6,048
Independents.....	37	16,710	44.6	41.8	43.0	15	3,141	750	2,532	185	2,564
Chains.....	82	20,778	55.4	58.2	57.0	---	3,935	1,835	2,399	377	3,484
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	370	22,190	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	6,638	3,813	2,695	649	3,620
Independents.....	142	1,598	7.2	4.7	10.4	115	482	278	165	40	481
Chains.....	228	20,592	92.8	95.3	89.6	5	6,156	3,535	2,530	609	3,139
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	271	9,692	100.0	100.0	100.0	223	851	131	1,029	39	2,720
Independents.....	247	8,294	85.6	87.9	96.9	220	719	116	879	34	2,538
Chains.....	24	1,398	14.4	12.0	3.1	3	132	15	150	5	182
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	376	9,611	100.0	100.0	100.0	312	1,491	527	987	104	3,241
Independents.....	353	8,157	84.9	92.2	71.0	311	1,214	440	773	86	2,962
Chains.....	43	1,454	15.1	7.8	29.0	1	277	87	194	18	279
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	389	11,515	100.0	100.0	100.0	293	1,621	379	1,274	105	1,820
Independents.....	358	8,385	72.8	72.5	85.0	292	1,239	271	984	80	1,556
Chains.....	51	3,130	27.2	27.5	15.0	1	382	108	290	25	264
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	228	6,988	100.0	100.0	100.0	94	891	323	739	65	1,593
Independents.....	123	3,185	45.6	46.0	60.4	91	369	89	351	23	668
Chains.....	84	3,256	46.6	48.4	37.1	---	471	225	333	41	592
Leased departments.....	21	547	7.8	5.6	---	3	51	9	55	1	133
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	2.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	612	25,368	100.0	100.0	100.0	477	3,073	106	3,713	42	4,605
Independents.....	574	20,254	79.8	90.4	81.5	475	2,477	99	2,903	38	3,907
Chains.....	38	5,114	20.2	9.6	14.5	2	596	7	810	4	698
Other types.....	---	---	---	4.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	158	3,992	100.0	(*)	(2)	56	974	521	827	215	572
Independents.....	62	1,105	27.7	---	---	56	144	22	155	11	156
Chains.....	21	790	19.8	---	---	---	222	---	---	---	100
Utility-operated stores.....	73	2,097	52.5	---	---	---	608	499	390	204	316
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	85	2,007	100.0	(2)	(2)	79	251	24	256	13	354
Independents.....	81	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	2,007	100.0	---	---	79	251	24	256	13	354
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	40	616	100.0	100.0	100.0	38	85	8	80	3	117
Independents.....	39	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	616	100.0	---	88.5	38	85	8	80	3	117
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	5.1	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NORTH CAROLINA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	647	\$95,339	100.0	100.0	(2)	419	7,479	111	\$8,640	\$47	\$7,564
Independents.....	645			98.3							
Chains.....	2	95,339	100.0	1.7		419	7,479	111	8,640	47	7,564
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	265	9,970	100.0	100.0	(2)	174	1,145	67	1,279	21	1,205
Independents.....	199	5,706	57.2	48.8		171	692	35	717	11	793
Chains.....	66	4,264	42.8	51.2		3	453	32	562	10	412
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	7,782	65,331	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,594	5,893	905	3,850	238	2,165
Independents.....	7,642	61,714	94.5	83.2	73.8	7,386	5,555	891	3,515	233	2,065
Chains.....	140	3,617	5.5	16.8	26.2	8	338	14	335	5	100
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	280	16,564	100.0	100.0	(2)	222	1,990	312	2,004	168	2,349
Independents.....	280	16,564	100.0	90.5		222	1,990	312	2,004	168	2,349
Chains.....	—	—	—	9.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	43	1,236	100.0	100.0	(2)	33	153	16	170	7	252
Independents.....	33	588	47.6	68.5		33	81	13	85	6	125
Chains.....	10	648	52.4	31.5		—	72	3	85	1	127
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	384	13,786	100.0	100.0	100.0	323	1,212	119	1,283	47	4,386
Independents.....	383			92.5	93.8						
Chains.....	1	13,786	100.0	7.5	6.2	323	1,212	119	1,283	47	4,386
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,099	19,747	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,015	6,369	836	3,047	191	304
Independents.....	3,060	18,082	91.6	90.3	91.2	3,014	5,858	684	2,723	147	278
Chains.....	23	1,036	5.2	9.4	8.7	—	420	150	255	43	17
Other types.....	16	629	3.2	.3	.1	1	91	2	69	1	9
Drug stores with fountain.....	700	20,564	100.0	100.0	(2)	539	3,271	368	2,767	106	3,656
Independents.....	676	17,965	87.4	94.4		538	2,917	343	2,422	93	3,306
Chains.....	24	2,599	12.6	5.6		1	354	25	345	13	350
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
One store cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	215	3,507	100.0	100.0	(2)	178	481	82	417	25	679
Independents.....	202	2,370	67.6			178	348	80	257	24	491
Chains.....	13	1,137	32.4	100.0		—	133	2	160	1	188
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	90	5,747	100.0	100.0	—	5	255	22	295	7	389
Independents.....	6	37	.6	10.6		5	5	—	3	—	7
Chains.....	84	5,710	99.4	89.4		—	250	22	292	7	382
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	706	11,144	100.0	100.0	100.0	601	2,059	404	1,525	154	680
Independents.....	692	10,090	90.5	92.8	91.6	598	1,876	397	1,355	149	553
Chains.....	10	895	8.0	7.1	5.3	—	171	6	144	5	98
Other types.....	4	159	1.5	.1	3.1	3	12	1	26	(3)	29
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	206	6,738	100.0	100.0	(2)	188	417	60	325	15	622
Independents.....	170	4,400	65.3	80.2		188	286	43	193	10	424
Chains.....	8	271	4.0	3.7		—	27	8	22	1	27
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	28	2,067	30.7	15.4		—	104	9	110	4	171
Other types.....	—	—	—	.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	401	16,097	100.0	100.0	(2)	318	908	184	992	150	1,876
Independents.....	374	14,115	87.7	88.4		316	822	161	888	150	1,756
Chains.....	22	1,163	7.2	8.2		—	66	3	68	(3)	115
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	5	819	5.1	3.4		2	20	—	36	—	5
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	256	5,890	100.0	100.0	100.0	199	712	57	900	20	2,196
Independents.....	251			97.6							
Chains.....	5	5,890	100.0	—	2.4	199	712	57	900	20	2,196
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	55	543	100.0	100.0	100.0	43	96	16	63	3	54
Independents.....	50			94.8	88.5						
Chains.....	3	543	100.0	5.2	11.5	43	96	16	63	3	54
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	188	1,440	100.0	100.0	(2)	187	329	92	248	18	84
Independents.....	185			100.0							
Chains.....	—	1,440	100.0	—	—	187	329	92	248	18	84
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	57	469	100.0	100.0	(2)	47	84	19	42	4	21
Independents.....	47			67.6							
Chains.....	10	469	100.0	32.4		47	84	19	42	4	21
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	5,267	85,865	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,793	11,476	3,325	7,953	715	17,529

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

NORTH DAKOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	8,549	\$156,137	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,816	15,227	2,983	\$12,960	\$922	\$27,234
Independents.....	7,870	126,443	81.0	81.9	84.9	7,752	11,739	1,794	9,886	553	22,469
Single-store.....	7,475	114,093	73.1	76.5	80.2	7,532	10,449	1,636	8,602	503	20,451
Multiunit.....	358	11,824	7.6	5.2	4.7	184	1,203	144	1,206	45	1,945
Market and roadside stands.....	10	21	(1)	(1)	—	8	7	—	4	—	—
Leased departments—Independent.....	29	505	.3	.2	—	28	80	14	54	5	73
Chains.....	518	27,209	17.4	16.4	13.4	6	3,166	1,127	2,759	342	4,252
Local chains.....	65	1,227	.8	(1)	2.6	3	134	30	140	8	364
Sectional or national chains.....	416	24,562	15.7	16.1	10.2	4	2,854	1,072	2,414	325	3,658
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	22	1,111	.7	.1	.3	—	129	10	169	6	206
Leased-department chains.....	15	309	.2	.2	.3	1	49	15	36	3	24
Other types.....	161	2,485	1.6	1.7	1.7	58	322	62	335	27	513
Utility-operated stores.....	27	442	.3	.3	.3	—	61	32	69	17	123
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	53	278	.2	.2	.1	53	46	8	52	3	12
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	52	1,342	.8	1.1	1.0	—	135	16	129	6	272
Other types of operation.....	29	423	.3	(1)	.3	5	80	6	85	1	106
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	702	9,241	100.0	100.0	100.0	645	524	147	367	40	1,307
Independents.....	644	8,638	71.8	68.2	72.9	643	335	82	198	19	1,122
Chains.....	52	2,484	26.9	30.9	26.2	1	178	63	161	21	169
Other types.....	6	119	1.3	.9	.9	1	11	2	8	(2)	16
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	775	18,153	100.0	100.0	100.0	764	1,243	293	940	69	1,688
Independents.....	739	14,169	78.0	89.0	96.9	763	937	188	664	41	1,501
Chains.....	36	3,984	22.0	11.0	3.1	1	306	105	276	28	187
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	62	364	100.0	(3)	(3)	53	68	26	50	7	1
Independents.....	54	311	85.4	—	—	52	68	14	38	3	1
Chains.....	6	53	14.6	—	—	1	20	12	12	4	—
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	83	452	100.0	100.0	(3)	73	56	14	28	3	40
Independents.....	81	—	99.5	—	—	73	56	14	28	3	40
Chains.....	—	452	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	2	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	55	9,706	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	1,309	401	1,204	126	1,432
Independents.....	8	2,403	24.8	29.3	39.9	1	473	111	428	29	427
Chains.....	27	7,303	75.2	70.7	60.1	—	636	290	776	97	1,005
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	78	2,791	100.0	100.0	100.0	60	619	359	332	103	480
Independents.....	60	744	26.7	18.0	18.1	60	109	51	48	14	228
Chains.....	18	2,047	73.3	82.0	81.9	—	510	308	284	89	252
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	81	2,391	100.0	100.0	100.0	79	177	20	235	6	924
Independents.....	80	—	100.0	100.0	91.7	79	177	20	235	6	924
Chains.....	1	2,391	—	—	8.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	20	390	100.0	100.0	100.0	17	37	6	37	2	141
Independents.....	18	—	65.5	100.0	—	17	37	6	37	2	141
Chains.....	2	390	100.0	34.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	98	2,840	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	424	116	353	37	492
Independents.....	81	2,127	74.9	76.3	66.7	71	319	76	265	24	427
Chains.....	15	713	25.1	23.7	15.2	1	105	40	88	13	65
Other types.....	—	—	—	20.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	41	864	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	79	18	77	6	239
Independents.....	31	555	64.2	70.8	74.5	38	42	8	46	4	189
Chains.....	1	309	35.8	6.3	13.1	2	37	10	31	2	50
Leased departments.....	9	—	22.8	.1	12.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	52	1,953	100.0	100.0	100.0	49	199	17	257	4	575
Independents.....	52	1,953	100.0	100.0	99.0	49	199	17	257	4	575
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	46	838	100.0	(3)	(3)	16	134	30	159	17	212
Independents.....	14	244	29.1	—	—	15	34	3	35	1	48
Chains.....	5	161	19.2	—	—	—	44	—	56	—	44
Utility-operated stores.....	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	433	51.7	—	—	1	56	27	68	16	120
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	19	339	100.0	(3)	(3)	19	38	4	38	2	46
Independents.....	16	—	100.0	—	—	19	38	4	38	2	46
Chains.....	3	339	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	22	109	100.0	100.0	100.0	22	11	5	10	1	14
Independents.....	20	—	100.0	86.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	109	—	—	—	22	11	5	10	1	14
Other types.....	2	—	—	13.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

NORTH DAKOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	280	\$24,290	100.0	100.0	(3)	233	1,818	80	\$2,172	35	\$5,131
Independents.....	280	24,290	100.0	100.0		233	1,818	80	2,172	35	3,131
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers ⁴	164	1,937	100.0	100.0	(3)	161	175	23	158	10	388
Independents.....	159			71.8							
Chains.....	4	1,937	100.0	28.2		161	175	23	158	10	388
Other types.....	1			---							
Filling stations.....	1,539	15,093	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,483	1,008	205	766	64	978
Independents.....	1,491	13,816	91.5	81.8	73.9	1,481	903	196	650	59	899
Chains.....	19	514	3.4	8.1	26.1	1	34	2	41	1	12
Other types.....	29	763	5.1	10.1	---	1	71	7	75	4	67
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	350	7,454	100.0	100.0	(3)	73	695	148	738	42	2,492
Independents.....	130	2,803	37.6	37.3		70	235	28	271	10	905
Chains.....	220	4,651	62.4	62.7		3	460	120	467	32	1,587
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	15	191	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	17	2	19	1	52
Independents.....	15	191	100.0	100.0		14	17	2	19	1	52
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	424	5,405	100.0	100.0	100.0	417	410	53	357	20	2,404
Independents.....	423			97.1	95.8						
Chains.....	---	5,405	100.0	2.9	---	417	410	53	357	20	2,404
Other types.....	1			4.2							
Restaurants, other eating places.....	678	5,732	100.0	100.0	100.0	704	1,703	166	871	39	105
Independents.....	666	5,580	97.4	97.3	98.8	704	1,648	157	833	37	104
Chains.....	12	152	2.6	2.7	1.2	---	55	9	38	2	1
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Drug stores with fountain.....	173	3,660	100.0	100.0	(3)	164	382	51	324	16	1,079
Independents.....	170			100.0							
Chains.....	3	3,660	100.0	---		164	382	51	324	16	1,079
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	93	1,583	100.0	100.0	(3)	87	126	19	142	6	395
Independents.....	92			100.0							
Chains.....	1	1,583	100.0	---		87	126	19	142	6	395
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	150	1,777	100.0	---	---	121	111	29	76	6	256
Independents.....	128			88.4	---						
Chains.....	1	1,570	---	---	---	121	89	25	58	5	237
Municipal liquor stores.....	21	207	11.6	---	---	---	22	4	18	1	19
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	140	1,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	214	57	223	29	187
Independents.....	135	1,589	99.2	98.6	90.6	123	211	56	221	28	185
Chains.....	5	13	.8	1.4	9.4	3	3	1	2	1	2
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	30	378	100.0	100.0	(3)	19	46	13	43	2	117
Independents.....	23	234	61.9	75.3		19	34	13	30	2	56
Chains.....	5			15.2							
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2	144	38.1	9.5		---	12	---	13	---	61
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	15	417	100.0	100.0	(3)	9	73	1	84	(2)	194
Independents.....	13			93.7							
Chains.....	---	417	100.0	6.3		9	73	1	84	(2)	194
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1			---							
Other types.....	1			---							
Jewelry stores.....	78	873	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	75	7	93	3	361
Independents.....	77			100.0	99.6						
Chains.....	1	873	100.0	---	.4	72	75	7	93	3	361
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	9	126	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	16	2	13	(2)	6
Independents.....	9	126	100.0	100.0	98.5	7	16	2	13	(2)	6
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	21	251	100.0	100.0	(3)	18	35	4	30	2	13
Independents.....	21	251	100.0	100.0		18	35	4	30	2	13
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	12	122	100.0	100.0	(3)	11	13	6	5	1	6
Independents.....	12	122	100.0	100.0		11	13	6	5	1	6
Chains.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	2,266	34,815	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,189	3,372	661	2,759	223	7,479

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Includes 1 motorcycle dealer.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

OHIO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	93,041	\$2,441,293	100.0	100.0	100.0	82,712	270,425	54,040	\$271,073	\$21,300	\$252,393
Independents.....	83,440	1,778,461	72.9	71.8	76.9	82,073	189,494	30,427	191,388	12,722	197,658
Single-store.....	76,911	1,550,404	63.5	64.3	68.8	78,120	161,173	25,925	160,369	10,770	170,679
Multiunit.....	4,367	213,084	8.8	6.9	8.0	1,978	26,855	3,826	30,003	1,754	28,300
Market and roadside stands.....	1,854	9,688	.4	.5	---	1,714	852	539	446	152	67
Leased departments—-independent.....	308	5,305	.2	.1	.1	261	614	137	570	46	612
Chains.....	8,183	564,331	23.1	24.7	22.1	176	72,513	22,184	69,495	7,699	47,503
Local chains.....	1,751	71,004	2.9	2.8	6.6	126	8,766	1,655	8,718	621	5,738
Sectional or national chains.....	5,315	449,120	18.4	21.2	14.5	38	57,584	19,719	53,423	6,807	37,044
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	719	32,981	1.3	.3	.6	3	4,501	384	5,799	133	3,740
Leased-department chains.....	398	11,226	.5	.4	.4	9	1,662	426	1,555	138	986
Other types.....	1,418	98,501	4.0	3.5	1.0	463	8,418	1,429	10,190	879	7,227
Utility-operated stores.....	244	8,706	.3	.3	.4	7	1,263	368	2,025	451	1,291
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	338	11,222	.5	.5	.3	211	3,367	760	3,434	333	524
Commissaries or company stores.....	33	2,246	.1	.1	.1	2	172	15	200	4	280
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	222	19,782	.8	.5	.1	---	1,620	167	1,988	60	1,516
Other types of operation.....	581	56,545	2.3	2.1	.1	243	1,996	121	2,543	31	3,616
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,876	83,769	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,869	6,162	2,162	5,058	637	6,108
Independents.....	4,835	43,570	52.0	40.8	45.1	4,856	2,302	838	1,587	176	3,822
Chains.....	1,017	39,079	46.7	58.6	54.3	1	3,410	1,522	3,099	460	2,108
Other types.....	24	1,120	1.3	.6	.6	12	450	2	372	1	176
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	12,951	366,931	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,971	25,374	8,034	22,185	2,579	20,561
Independents.....	11,350	223,514	60.9	63.0	81.6	11,935	13,935	3,259	11,231	968	14,898
Chains.....	1,589	142,597	38.9	36.9	38.0	29	11,357	4,759	10,873	1,606	5,618
Other types.....	22	820	.2	.1	.4	7	82	16	81	5	45
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	1,306	55,455	100.0	(1)	(1)	970	7,975	532	11,400	335	573
Independents.....	982	33,061	59.6	---	---	960	4,765	300	6,678	194	366
Chains.....	303	19,309	34.8	---	---	9	2,854	224	4,003	138	202
Other types.....	21	3,085	5.6	---	---	1	356	8	719	3	5
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	2,749	17,873	100.0	100.0	(1)	2,639	1,997	522	1,237	173	623
Independents.....	2,592	14,291	80.0	91.8	---	2,622	1,322	404	720	126	544
Chains.....	146	3,233	18.1	7.9	---	7	638	117	465	47	65
Other types.....	11	349	1.9	.3	---	10	37	1	52	(2)	14
Department stores.....	229	256,830	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	38,927	7,397	42,290	3,791	33,506
Independents.....	92	177,853	69.2	71.2	60.2	44	28,119	4,004	31,332	2,341	23,217
Chains.....	137	78,977	30.8	28.8	39.8	2	10,808	3,393	10,958	1,450	10,289
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	918	60,039	100.0	100.0	100.0	474	13,458	6,850	7,910	2,169	7,359
Independents.....	518	6,161	10.3	8.6	6.5	468	1,085	397	542	85	1,557
Chains.....	400	53,878	89.7	91.4	93.5	6	12,371	6,453	7,368	2,084	5,802
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	1,183	45,600	100.0	100.0	100.0	962	4,127	830	5,312	318	11,280
Independents.....	1,068	33,453	73.4	72.1	69.5	952	3,190	671	3,958	252	9,808
Chains.....	108	12,022	26.4	27.3	28.9	3	931	158	1,349	66	1,686
Other types.....	7	125	.2	.6	1.6	7	6	1	5	(2)	6
Family clothing stores.....	453	22,407	100.0	100.0	100.0	337	3,354	755	3,494	312	3,883
Independents.....	362	17,956	80.1	84.4	77.7	334	2,591	575	2,806	240	3,204
Chains.....	91	4,451	19.9	15.6	22.3	3	763	180	688	72	879
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	1,042	48,791	100.0	100.0	100.0	706	7,197	1,502	6,597	513	5,155
Independents.....	815	31,337	64.2	67.0	71.3	695	4,846	912	4,714	324	4,057
Chains.....	216	14,587	29.9	27.8	25.9	8	1,978	590	1,612	189	1,018
Other types.....	11	2,867	5.9	5.2	2.8	3	373	---	271	---	80
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	1,403	39,953	100.0	100.0	100.0	728	4,738	1,786	4,472	537	9,683
Independents.....	793	13,804	34.8	39.2	48.9	705	1,462	413	1,430	119	4,787
Chains.....	516	22,302	55.8	52.7	40.0	7	2,825	1,230	2,579	368	4,279
Leased departments.....	94	3,847	9.6	8.0	---	16	451	143	463	50	617
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	11.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	1,070	58,185	100.0	100.0	100.0	849	6,323	364	9,679	206	12,718
Independents.....	1,051	56,068	96.4	95.5	94.0	848	6,075	359	9,323	204	12,393
Chains.....	15	1,389	2.4	4.5	5.2	---	137	5	196	2	251
Other types.....	4	728	1.2	---	.8	3	111	---	160	---	72
Household appliance dealers.....	668	15,121	100.0	(1)	(1)	321	2,579	536	3,382	541	2,227
Independents.....	328	4,819	31.9	---	---	309	569	86	610	39	736
Chains.....	92	3,013	19.9	---	---	---	775	6	987	2	485
Utility-operated stores.....	220	6,783	44.9	---	---	2	998	309	1,554	400	982
Other types.....	28	506	3.3	---	---	10	237	135	231	100	24
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	492	12,625	100.0	(1)	(1)	460	1,356	143	1,766	76	1,891
Independents.....	463	10,191	80.7	---	---	458	1,071	136	1,218	74	1,525
Chains.....	12	882	7.0	---	---	---	88	---	151	---	94
Other types.....	17	1,552	12.3	---	---	2	197	7	397	2	272
Radio stores—other.....	170	2,150	100.0	100.0	100.0	161	239	23	257	10	338
Independents.....	168	2,150	100.0	100.0	80.8	161	239	23	257	10	338
Chains.....	4	---	---	---	14.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	4.6	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

OHIO

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	2,097	\$282,804	100.0	100.0	(1)	1,869	17,684	495	\$24,481	\$300	\$23,323
Independents.....	2,082	277,783	98.2	97.3		1,866	17,380	487	24,012	294	23,000
Chains.....	15	5,021	1.8	2.7		3	304	8	469	6	328
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	1,063	30,018	100.0	100.0	(1)	726	3,431	222	4,447	103	4,174
Independents.....	761	13,111	43.7	47.7		715	1,542	125	1,828	51	2,222
Chains.....	302	16,907	56.3	52.3		11	1,889	97	2,619	52	1,952
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	12,800	168,228	100.0	100.0	100.0	12,202	12,233	2,449	11,225	868	4,793
Independents.....	11,999	139,422	82.9	78.9	50.7	12,189	9,106	2,064	7,451	754	3,989
Chains.....	779	27,641	16.4	21.0	48.1	12	3,041	377	3,685	110	737
Other types.....	22	1,165	.7	.1	1.2	1	86	8	89	4	67
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	1,232	78,050	100.0	100.0	(1)	799	7,472	832	10,554	521	16,517
Independents.....	1,149	71,927	92.1	80.4		799	6,838	766	9,684	491	15,011
Chains.....	80	5,989	7.7	19.6		---	615	65	844	29	1,484
Other types.....	3	134	.2	---		---	19	1	26	1	22
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	729	10,955	100.0	100.0	(1)	539	1,455	325	1,714	233	2,416
Independents.....	611	7,871	70.0	67.7		536	938	160	1,135	113	1,841
Chains.....	113	2,738	25.0	28.4		---	333	20	407	6	573
Other types.....	5	546	5.0	3.9		3	184	145	172	114	2
Hardware stores.....	1,808	40,043	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,753	3,861	350	4,430	186	13,344
Independents.....	1,769	36,692	91.7	90.9	97.0	1,749	3,543	325	4,081	173	12,891
Chains.....	36	3,298	8.2	9.1	---	2	313	23	345	13	428
Other types.....	3	53	.1	---	3.0	2	5	2	4	(2)	25
Restaurants, other eating places.....	7,241	102,855	100.0	100.0	100.0	7,121	29,642	3,946	20,575	1,149	1,265
Independents.....	6,930	87,096	84.7	88.5	90.8	7,097	24,609	3,186	16,599	983	987
Chains.....	296	15,389	15.0	11.1	8.3	14	4,858	674	3,885	146	273
Other types.....	15	370	.3	.4	.9	10	175	86	91	20	5
Drug stores with fountain.....	1,925	60,343	100.0	100.0	(1)	1,541	7,559	1,531	6,952	616	9,614
Independents.....	1,636	36,942	61.2	60.1		1,537	4,245	1,141	3,591	436	6,693
Chains.....	289	23,401	38.8	39.9		4	3,314	390	3,361	180	2,921
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	900	22,660	100.0	100.0	(1)	771	2,073	339	2,273	120	4,319
Independents.....	806	13,009	57.4	62.7		770	1,269	284	1,333	105	3,297
Chains.....	94	9,651	42.6	37.3		1	804	55	940	15	1,022
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	628	47,920	100.0	100.0	---	241	1,263	60	1,829	16	2,791
Independents.....	270	2,533	5.3	3.2	---	238	188	32	194	9	295
Chains.....	45	417	.9	---	---	3	53	13	45	4	48
State liquor stores.....	313	44,970	93.8	96.1	---	---	1,022	15	1,590	3	2,448
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	2,696	61,724	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,374	6,260	1,237	7,715	855	4,298
Independents.....	2,523	54,285	87.9	85.6	84.3	2,353	5,408	1,171	6,410	803	3,799
Chains.....	151	7,388	12.0	13.9	14.0	2	848	65	1,302	52	499
Other types.....	22	51	.1	.5	1.7	19	4	1	3	(2)	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	970	43,127	100.0	100.0	(1)	792	2,737	291	2,704	107	4,091
Independents.....	837	31,066	72.1	71.7		792	1,954	216	1,954	79	2,963
Chains.....	46	2,556	5.9	12.3		---	179	17	192	12	257
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	87	9,505	22.0	16.0		---	624	58	662	16	871
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	271	11,574	100.0	100.0	(1)	194	793	137	840	45	1,646
Independents.....	221	4,395	38.0	56.9		194	342	81	358	25	520
Chains.....	4	4,141	35.8	30.5		---	312	53	288	19	330
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	43	3,038	26.2	4.2		---	139	3	194	1	796
Other types.....	3	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	846	20,210	100.0	100.0	100.0	784	2,052	177	3,206	75	7,587
Independents.....	821	19,072	94.4	93.9	91.1	781	1,914	164	2,990	69	7,331
Chains.....	25	1,138	5.6	6.1	4.6	3	138	13	216	6	256
Other types.....	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	4.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	820	9,156	100.0	100.0	100.0	759	839	176	771	61	641
Independents.....	759	7,078	77.3	69.9	79.3	757	680	164	591	56	466
Chains.....	58	2,028	22.2	24.4	19.9	1	152	10	174	3	162
Other types.....	3	50	.5	5.7	.8	1	7	2	6	2	13
Florists.....	1,035	8,764	100.0	100.0	(1)	1,023	1,256	258	1,246	104	457
Independents.....	1,031	8,683	99.1	100.0		1,021	1,248	258	1,233	104	455
Chains.....	4	81	.9	---		2	8	---	13	---	2
Other types.....	---	One store cmbd with "Independents."	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	253	2,700	100.0	100.0	(1)	230	403	181	205	30	159
Independents.....	223	2,700	100.0	79.9		230	403	181	205	30	158
Chains.....	30	---	20.1	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	25,207	354,433	100.0	100.0	100.0	23,501	45,608	9,598	40,867	3,714	35,053

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Comparable data not available.

2 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

CLEVELAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	13,814	\$420,426	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,433	50,198	9,440	\$56,497	\$4,907	\$38,528
Independents.....	12,304	286,083	68.0	63.9	(1)	11,349	32,899	5,145	37,593	2,872	27,402
Single-store.....	11,022	224,521	53.4	54.9		10,473	25,336	3,906	28,585	2,059	21,402
Multunit.....	645	56,588	13.4	7.8		272	7,158	1,015	8,710	742	5,876
Market and roadside stands.....	598	4,105	1.0	1.1		571	312	211	181	66	12
Leased departments—Independent.....	39	869	.2	.1		33	93	13	117	5	112
Chains.....	1,390	118,482	28.2	32.1	(1)	29	16,134	3,965	17,495	1,851	10,075
Local chains.....	408	17,097	4.1	5.6		25	2,150	404	2,451	197	1,531
Sectional or national chains.....	835	92,351	22.0	25.5		2	12,752	3,434	13,326	1,583	7,698
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	103	6,694	1.6	.6		---	919	73	1,413	30	687
Leased-department chains.....	46	2,340	.5	.4		2	313	54	305	21	179
Other types.....	120	15,861	3.8	4.0	(1)	55	1,165	330	1,409	204	1,051
Utility-operated stores.....	2										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	46	2,618	.7	.6		27	788	314	856	197	180
Commissaries or company stores.....	1										
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	11	447	.1	.1		---	58	3	95	1	26
Other types of operation.....	60	12,596	3.0	3.3		28	319	13	458	6	845
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	924	14,714	100.0	100.0	100.0	727	953	297	868	100	794
Independents.....	742	7,779	52.9	27.8		725	378	99	299	34	465
Chains.....	178	6,745	45.8	71.8		---	548	198	519	66	307
Other types.....	4	190	1.3	.4	.3	2	27	---	50	---	22
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,493	43,257	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,221	2,928	1,153	2,876	469	1,636
Independents.....	1,207	20,422	47.2	47.6	54.4	1,220	1,142	379	985	152	779
Chains.....	281	22,653	52.4	52.0	45.6	---	1,767	772	1,868	316	845
Other types.....	5	182	.4	.4	---	1	19	2	23	1	12
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	234	10,778	100.0	(1)	(1)	177	1,396	88	2,086	32	40
Independents.....	193	6,260	58.1			175	849	83	1,213	26	25
Chains.....	41	4,518	41.9			2	547	25	873	6	15
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	723	4,695	100.0	100.0	(1)	687	364	114	254	47	114
Independents.....	897	3,717	79.2	87.5		687	187	71	123	25	103
Chains.....	26	978	20.8	12.5		---	177	43	131	22	11
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Department stores.....	9	77,437	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	12,067	1,825	14,282	1,445	9,302
Independents.....	8					---					
Chains.....	3	77,437	100.0	72.7	100.0	---	12,067	1,825	14,282	1,445	9,302
Other types.....				27.3		---					
Variety stores.....	117	11,700	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	2,417	1,274	1,574	487	1,303
Independents.....	60	502	4.3	2.8	1.9	53	77	26	36	5	136
Chains.....	57	11,198	95.7	97.2	98.1	1	2,340	1,248	1,538	482	1,167
Other types.....											
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	183	8,681	100.0	100.0	100.0	122	696	115	1,039	69	1,438
Independents.....	163	5,571	64.3	64.0	48.6	119	497	78	719	52	1,163
Chains.....	17	3,064	35.4	36.0	51.3	---	194	36	318	17	275
Other types.....	3	26	.3	(2)	.1	3	5	1	2	(3)	2
Family clothing stores.....	44	2,398	100.0	100.0	100.0	32	349	48	448	17	439
Independents.....	41				91.1						
Chains.....	2	2,398	100.0	100.0	8.9	32	349	48	448	17	439
Other types.....	1										
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	172	9,268	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	1,335	248	1,296	95	866
Independents.....	158	6,264	67.6	71.5	49.0	118	990	152	989	54	714
Chains.....	54	3,004	32.4	28.4	49.0	4	345	94	309	39	152
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	278	8,471	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	942	296	1,033	128	1,927
Independents.....	147	1,932	22.8	31.5	40.7	115	179	47	194	17	725
Chains.....	124	5,700	67.3	63.4	53.3	5	675	224	726	96	1,081
Leased departments.....	7	839	9.9	5.1		---	88	25	113	13	141
Other types.....					6.0						
Furniture stores.....	159	12,958	100.0	100.0	100.0	104	1,486	96	2,281	81	2,473
Independents.....	153	12,540	96.8	87.1	87.0	102	1,430	96	2,224	81	2,417
Chains.....	4										
Other types.....	2	418	3.2	12.9	13.0	2	36	---	57	---	56
Household appliance dealers.....	49	1,603	100.0	(1)	(1)	30	277	38	368	30	243
Independents.....	32	681	42.5			28	44	7	48	2	82
Chains.....	13	747	46.6			---	170	2	251	1	83
Utility-operated stores.....	1										
Other types.....	3	175	10.9			2	63	29	69	27	78
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	45	1,966	100.0	(1)	(1)	33	150	10	215	6	229
Independents.....	38	1,231	62.6			33	79	10	94	6	144
Chains.....	7	735	37.4			---	71	---	121	---	85
Other types.....											
Radio stores—other.....	12	214	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	21	2	28	1	45
Independents.....	12	214	100.0	100.0	99.3	8	21	2	28	1	45
Chains.....											
Other types.....					.7						

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

CLEVELAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	99	\$32,914	100.0	100.0	(1)	33	1,914	34	\$5,303	\$16	\$2,246
Independents	98										
Chains	1	32,914	100.0	100.0		33	1,914	34	3,303	16	2,246
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	106	5,013	100.0	100.0	(1)	55	566	27	839	19	548
Independents	73	1,724	34.4	41.3		54	205	15	273	7	193
Chains	33	3,269	65.6	58.7		1	361	12	566	12	355
Other types											
Filling stations	1,116	17,348	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,067	1,223	284	1,311	122	290
Independents	1,045	14,455	83.2	85.0	23.4	1,067	869	234	870	113	236
Chains	71	2,913	16.8	34.9	76.6		334	50	441	9	54
Other types		Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		.1							
Lumber, building-materials dealers	62	9,376	100.0	100.0	(1)	27	899	118	1,351	88	1,673
Independents	69	7,610	81.3	40.9		27	611	101	1,207	61	1,453
Chains	13	1,566	18.7				66	17	144	7	220
Other types		Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		59.1							
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	101	1,567	100.0	100.0	(1)	67	323	156	336	116	206
Independents	61	809	51.6	55.5		65	113	9	139	5	175
Chains	16	224	14.3	14.4			26	2	27	(3)	31
Other types	4	534	34.1	30.1		2	184	145	172	113	
Hardware stores	293	3,375	100.0	100.0	100.0	261	291	36	362	21	1,054
Independents	293	3,375	100.0	87.2	100.0	261	291	36	362	21	1,054
Chains				12.8							
Other types											
Restaurants, other eating places	1,041	21,426	100.0	100.0	100.0	900	6,351	655	5,274	233	371
Independents	951	14,174	66.2	72.6	80.7	693	4,102	491	3,311	194	163
Chains	85	7,206	33.6	27.0	18.9	1	2,245	163	1,959	36	207
Other types	5	46	.2	.2	.4	6	6	1	4	1	1
Drug stores with fountain	372	11,656	100.0	100.0	(1)	270	1,652	434	1,651	223	1,698
Independents	306	6,709	58.6	56.2		270	647	311	733	155	1,003
Chains	66	5,149	43.4	43.6			805	123	918	88	895
Other types											
Drug stores, other	95	2,589	100.0	100.0	(1)	73	241	33	290	13	446
Independents	81	1,097	42.2	34.1		73	119	31	131	12	236
Chains	14	1,497	57.6	65.9			122	2	159	1	208
Other types		One store cmbd with "Independents."									
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	96	10,581	100.0	100.0		59	230	6	331	2	436
Independents	67	497	4.7	2.7		58	41	5	44	2	101
Chains	8	48	.5			1	9		7		4
State liquor stores	21	10,036	94.8	97.3			180	1	280	(3)	331
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	314	13,517	100.0	100.0	100.0	169	1,326	196	2,023	219	667
Independents	242	9,908	73.3	73.4	76.2	168	1,044	176	1,541	205	645
Chains	72	3,609	26.7	26.0	23.6	1	282	20	482	14	222
Other types		One store cmbd with "Independents."		.6							
Hay, grain and feed stores	16	493	100.0	100.0	(1)	9	38	1	57	1	33
Independents	16	493	100.0	100.0		9	38	1	57	1	33
Chains											
Farmers' cooperative stores											
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	13	2,167	100.0	100.0	(1)	9	73	3	96	1	508
Independents	10	114	5.3			9	11		19		11
Chains	1										
Farmers' cooperative stores		2,053	94.7				62	3	77	1	497
Other types	2										
Jewelry stores	139	4,307	100.0	100.0	100.0	112	492	29	634	11	1,791
Independents	136	4,096	95.1	92.7	94.4	110	469	26	767	10	1,759
Chains	3	211	4.9	7.3	5.6	2	23	3	47	1	32
Other types		One store cmbd with "Independents."									
Cigar stores, cigar stands	167	2,330	100.0	100.0	100.0	148	135	31	148	13	165
Independents	153	1,647	79.3	84.3	87.9	147	102	27	109	12	136
Chains	14	483	20.7	24.6	30.6	1	33	4	39	1	49
Other types		Two stores cmbd with "Independents."		10.9	1.5						
Florists	164	1,515	100.0	100.0	(1)	148	214	42	256	21	32
Independents	160	1,432	94.5	100.0		145	205	41	245	21	30
Chains	3										
Other types	1	63	5.5			3	9	1	13	(3)	2
News dealers	13	92	100.0	100.0	(1)	10	21	3	12	1	2
Independents	10			24.2							
Chains	3	92	100.0	75.8		10	21	3	12	1	2
Other types											
All other kinds of business	5,145	71,636	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,561	6,848	1,746	9,369	764	5,093

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Comparable data not available.

2 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

OKLAHOMA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	28,722	\$513,091	100.0	100.0	100.0	27,221	59,988	11,411	\$48,953	\$3,040	\$75,801
Independents	26,835	398,924	77.8	77.2	80.6	27,104	44,375	6,713	36,198	1,838	58,088
Single-store	25,479	351,540	68.5	69.9	71.6	26,388	38,229	5,942	30,164	1,604	50,451
Multiunit	1,214	46,042	9.0	7.0	9.0	579	5,956	749	5,891	229	7,479
Market and roadside stands	86	493	.1	.1	(1)	85	116	8	67	2	4
Leased departments—-independent	56	849	.2	.2	(1)	52	74	14	76	3	154
Chains	1,714	108,960	21.2	22.1	18.5	55	14,710	4,552	12,038	1,171	17,237
Local chains	377	18,675	3.6	3.3	8.3	32	2,609	727	2,029	174	2,322
Sectional or national chains	1,115	82,024	16.0	18.1	9.4	20	10,894	3,667	8,634	951	13,843
Manufacturer-controlled chains	140	5,662	1.1	.3	.5	---	813	81	1,018	25	752
Leased-department chains	82	2,599	.5	.4	.3	3	394	77	357	21	320
Other types	173	5,207	1.0	.7	.9	62	903	146	717	31	476
Utility-operated stores	17	74	(1)	(1)	.3	2	20	18	8	6	1
Direct selling (house-to-house)	60	1,471	.3	.2	.2	43	565	67	440	10	84
Commissaries or company stores	8	567	.1	.2	(1)	---	57	10	58	1	86
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores	70	2,374	.5	.2	.4	---	224	48	176	13	254
Other types of operation	18	721	.1	.1	(1)	17	37	3	35	1	51
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	3,175	16,711	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,152	792	270	393	41	1,761
Independents	3,150	16,024	95.9	88.5	88.3	3,148	726	242	349	36	1,721
Chains	21	673	4.0	9.8	10.7	---	66	28	44	5	40
Other types	4	14	.1	1.7	1.0	4	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	3,940	90,684	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,910	7,158	1,870	5,376	390	6,256
Independents	3,698	86,878	73.8	73.1	78.4	3,905	5,175	1,149	3,665	223	5,102
Chains	236	23,337	25.7	26.9	21.0	5	1,937	706	1,675	164	1,125
Other types	6	469	.5	---	.6	---	46	15	36	3	29
Dairy products, milk dealers	75	695	100.0	(2)	(2)	34	176	44	102	13	9
Independents	44	305	43.9	---	---	34	70	7	46	3	2
Chains	31	390	56.1	---	---	---	106	37	56	10	7
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	269	1,054	100.0	100.0	(2)	263	142	48	66	12	61
Independents	260	966	91.7	97.1	---	260	120	41	50	9	56
Chains	6	69	6.5	2.8	---	---	18	7	14	3	3
Other types	3	19	1.8	.1	---	3	4	---	4	---	2
Department stores	79	34,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	12	5,063	1,219	4,957	418	5,535
Independents	21	14,743	42.6	46.5	63.2	12	2,506	374	2,731	155	2,570
Chains	58	19,859	57.4	53.5	36.8	---	2,557	845	2,226	263	2,965
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores	336	13,190	100.0	100.0	100.0	210	3,337	1,742	1,502	373	2,339
Independents	220	2,404	18.2	13.2	17.6	205	530	246	196	36	669
Chains	116	10,786	81.8	86.8	82.4	5	2,807	1,496	1,306	337	1,670
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	189	7,343	100.0	100.0	100.0	156	724	114	917	39	2,345
Independents	176	6,613	90.0	83.8	84.3	156	632	100	824	31	2,161
Chains	13	730	10.0	16.2	15.7	---	92	14	93	7	184
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores	158	6,436	100.0	100.0	100.0	145	822	172	711	52	1,855
Independents	146	5,325	82.7	100.0	66.9	145	664	131	554	43	1,697
Chains	12	1,111	17.3	---	33.0	---	158	41	157	9	158
Other types	---	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores	294	9,421	100.0	100.0	100.0	241	1,321	260	1,141	80	1,577
Independents	262	7,072	75.1	77.0	73.9	241	952	133	895	48	1,379
Chains	32	2,349	24.9	23.0	22.6	---	369	127	246	32	198
Other types	---	---	---	---	3.5	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds)	178	5,355	100.0	100.0	100.0	114	567	144	558	41	1,222
Independents	121	2,351	43.9	47.1	69.4	106	245	52	238	14	809
Chains	27	1,554	29.0	29.7	21.1	---	169	62	159	18	220
Leased departments	30	1,450	27.1	23.2	9.5	8	153	30	161	9	193
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores	434	11,779	100.0	100.0	100.0	433	1,318	89	1,599	28	3,082
Independents	422	10,987	93.3	99.0	98.3	429	1,244	89	1,490	28	2,938
Chains	12	792	6.7	1.0	1.7	4	74	---	109	---	144
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers	140	2,498	100.0	(2)	(2)	106	439	38	519	13	476
Independents	109	1,636	65.5	---	---	102	240	27	229	10	311
Chains	20	827	33.1	---	---	---	191	5	287	2	162
Utility-operated stores	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	6	35	1.4	---	---	4	8	6	3	1	3
Radio—household appliance dealers	83	1,798	100.0	(2)	(2)	79	251	19	257	9	319
Independents	83	1,798	100.0	---	---	79	251	19	257	9	319
Chains	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other	40	921	100.0	100.0	100.0	38	163	3	190	1	196
Independents	37	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains	3	921	100.0	---	80.5	38	163	3	190	1	196
Other types	---	---	---	---	19.5	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

OKLAHOMA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	639	\$81,741	100.0	100.0	(2)	602	6,269	196	\$7,291	\$81	\$8,442
Independents.....	639	81,741	100.0	97.0		602	6,269	196	7,291	81	8,442
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	3.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	524	11,687	100.0	100.0	(2)	378	1,412	79	1,518	28	1,810
Independents.....	584	5,851	50.1	41.4		375	772	55	738	19	1,091
Chains.....	140	5,836	49.9	58.4		3	640	24	780	9	719
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	6,106	47,066	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,968	4,627	651	3,298	182	1,710
Independents.....	5,918	43,336	92.1	91.0	70.2	5,956	4,160	635	2,851	177	1,531
Chains.....	149	2,990	6.3	8.8	29.8	11	391	5	390	2	114
Other types.....	39	740	1.6	.2	---	1	76	11	57	3	65
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	787	30,025	100.0	100.0	(2)	288	2,813	479	3,013	138	9,181
Independents.....	359	13,961	46.6	39.2		279	1,228	161	1,435	70	3,288
Chains.....	424	15,896	52.9	60.0		6	1,572	318	1,568	68	5,852
Other types.....	4	148	.5	.8		1	13	---	10	---	41
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	88	1,690	100.0	100.0	(2)	72	224	29	242	12	366
Independents.....	73	945	55.9	65.0		72	139	21	140	9	225
Chains.....	15	745	44.1	35.0		---	85	8	102	3	141
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	490	9,495	100.0	100.0	100.0	507	985	132	899	44	3,789
Independents.....	475	8,539	89.9	91.1	76.0	505	813	101	744	31	3,441
Chains.....	15	956	10.1	8.9	23.1	2	172	31	155	13	348
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,261	19,169	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,345	6,749	844	3,189	213	116
Independents.....	3,213	18,396	96.0	97.4	97.8	3,340	6,508	800	3,031	203	114
Chains.....	48	773	4.0	2.4	2.2	5	241	44	158	10	2
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	887	23,100	100.0	100.0	(2)	844	3,506	663	2,520	211	4,693
Independents.....	824	16,642	72.0	74.9		844	2,377	433	1,691	127	4,130
Chains.....	63	6,458	28.0	25.1		---	1,129	230	829	84	563
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	248	2,600	100.0	100.0	(2)	246	290	62	216	14	772
Independents.....	248	2,600	100.0	100.0		246	290	62	216	14	772
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Independents.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	230	1,055	100.0	100.0	(2)	206	196	39	194	19	34
Independents.....	213	945	89.6	97.2		205	168	31	178	16	30
Chains.....	5	43	4.1	2.1		---	15	---	10	---	3
Other types.....	12	67	6.3	0.7		1	13	8	8	3	1
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	375	5,887	100.0	100.0	(2)	349	471	82	369	22	517
Independents.....	356	5,083	86.3	66.7		348	414	76	308	17	432
Chains.....	5	---	---	31.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	14	804	13.7	2.0		1	57	6	61	5	85
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	33	551	100.0	100.0	(2)	34	50	7	36	2	80
Independents.....	27	---	---	82.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	551	100.0	17.5		34	50	7	36	2	80
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	202	3,551	100.0	100.0	100.0	189	379	37	568	18	1,623
Independents.....	189	2,977	83.8	98.8	97.9	187	323	33	437	16	1,497
Chains.....	13	574	16.2	1.2	2.1	2	56	4	131	2	126
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	109	789	100.0	100.0	100.0	90	94	19	64	6	55
Independents.....	97	623	81.0	54.7	80.4	89	74	16	46	5	34
Chains.....	12	146	19.0	35.1	18.7	1	20	3	18	1	21
Other types.....	---	---	---	10.2	.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	157	1,502	100.0	100.0	(2)	155	274	58	232	20	150
Independents.....	157	1,502	100.0	100.0		155	274	58	232	20	150
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	61	289	100.0	100.0	(2)	56	36	14	19	5	24
Independents.....	58	---	---	86.5		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	289	100.0	12.2		56	36	14	19	5	24
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	5,135	70,427	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,001	9,340	1,988	6,995	516	15,406

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

OREGON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	16,458	\$442,160	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,757	41,720	8,727	\$44,154	\$3,611	\$57,976
Independents.....	15,118	333,623	75.4	74.9	81.0	15,620	31,446	6,003	33,006	2,578	45,623
Single-store.....	14,041	300,794	68.0	68.0	72.9	14,925	28,145	5,519	29,326	2,399	39,306
Multiunit.....	743	30,955	7.0	6.5	8.1	394	3,137	428	3,580	158	4,217
Market and roadside stands.....	251	780	.2	.3	(1)	205	62	27	540	8	9
Leased departments—Independent.....	101	1,084	.2	.1	---	96	102	29	80	13	91
Chains.....	941	92,872	21.0	22.0	16.7	25	9,159	2,461	9,861	955	13,248
Local chains.....	124	5,162	1.2	2.0	4.1	12	433	63	479	21	509
Sectional or national chains ²	710	82,502	18.7	19.6	11.8	10	8,095	2,319	8,616	910	12,182
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	65	3,660	.8	.1	.6	3	371	22	541	8	409
Leased-department chains.....	42	1,548	.3	.3	.2	---	260	57	225	14	148
Other types.....	401	15,665	3.6	3.1	2.3	112	1,115	263	1,287	80	1,107
Utility-operated stores.....	54	1,020	.3	.5	.4	3	195	56	217	22	182
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	54	860	.2	.2	.2	41	325	141	276	25	51
Commissaries or company stores.....	23	957	.2	.2	.2	---	79	17	93	7	120
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	59	3,663	.8	.3	---	---	197	31	234	18	386
Other types of operation.....	231	9,165	2.1	1.9	1.5	6.8	319	18	467	8	386
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,652	28,782	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,626	1,496	488	1,333	147	2,615
Independents.....	1,558	24,601	85.5	87.3	61.6	1,621	1,209	383	1,049	110	2,223
Chains.....	86	4,072	14.1	32.4	37.5	2	280	103	278	35	380
Other types.....	8	109	.4	.3	.9	3	7	2	8	2	12
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,427	55,308	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,264	3,301	938	3,407	314	3,894
Independents.....	1,198	32,478	58.7	72.2	72.3	1,263	1,786	434	1,748	151	2,442
Chains.....	224	22,624	40.9	27.1	27.7	1	1,500	498	1,645	162	1,431
Other types.....	5	206	.4	.7	---	---	15	6	14	1	21
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	73	2,546	100.0	(3)	(3)	54	338	54	339	20	30
Independents.....	67	2,546	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	4	---	---	---	---	54	338	54	339	20	30
Other types.....	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	267	1,893	100.0	100.0	(3)	270	222	82	137	28	83
Independents.....	259	1,719	90.8	94.9	---	269	199	79	116	28	81
Chains.....	8	174	9.2	4.9	---	1	23	3	21	(4)	2
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	57	56,861	100.0	100.0	100.0	7	6,815	1,314	7,961	670	11,137
Independents.....	10	24,595	43.3	47.3	59.9	7	3,589	538	4,383	363	4,287
Chains and mail-order.....	47	32,266	56.7	52.7	40.1	---	3,226	776	3,578	307	6,850
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	241	7,151	100.0	100.0	100.0	211	1,221	593	843	243	1,390
Independents.....	193	1,903	26.6	15.5	18.6	209	262	121	144	37	557
Chains.....	48	5,248	73.4	84.5	81.4	2	959	472	699	206	833
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	172	5,959	100.0	100.0	100.0	147	446	77	621	31	2,194
Independents.....	155	5,283	88.7	90.8	86.0	145	399	70	556	30	1,947
Chains.....	17	676	11.3	9.0	14.0	2	47	7	65	1	247
Other types.....	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	52	2,112	100.0	100.0	100.0	42	251	41	285	14	671
Independents.....	45	1,703	80.6	95.6	98.4	42	197	25	230	9	536
Chains.....	7	409	19.4	4.4	1.6	---	54	16	55	5	135
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	205	7,307	100.0	100.0	100.0	188	1,025	225	913	83	1,023
Independents.....	161	4,839	66.2	61.6	68.2	186	677	105	637	33	849
Chains.....	24	2,468	33.8	38.4	31.4	2	346	120	276	50	174
Other types.....	---	---	---	.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Two stores cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	127	3,688	100.0	100.0	100.0	81	365	110	407	46	1,045
Independents.....	90	1,537	41.7	50.0	70.4	77	146	35	171	14	638
Chains.....	26	1,722	46.7	50.0	27.1	1	169	65	185	27	317
Leased departments.....	11	429	11.6	---	---	3	50	10	51	5	90
Other types.....	---	---	---	2.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	182	8,566	100.0	100.0	100.0	195	750	62	1,040	29	2,392
Independents.....	182	8,566	100.0	100.0	100.0	195	750	62	1,040	29	2,392
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	118	2,607	100.0	(3)	(3)	60	401	68	488	29	457
Independents.....	55	1,101	42.2	---	---	58	123	12	134	7	218
Chains.....	9	498	19.1	---	---	---	82	---	134	---	60
Utility-operated stores.....	53	1,008	38.7	---	---	2	196	56	220	22	179
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	80	1,774	100.0	(3)	(3)	84	167	36	183	16	286
Independents.....	80	1,774	100.0	---	---	84	167	36	183	16	286
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	30	570	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	55	14	74	7	116
Independents.....	29	570	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	55	14	74	7	116
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

OREGON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	356	\$82,043	100.0	100.0	(3)	345	3,969	112	\$5,560	\$56	\$6,202
Independents.....	356	82,043	100.0	100.0		345	3,969	112	5,560	56	6,202
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	159	5,183	100.0	100.0	(3)	132	460	56	596	27	667
Independents.....	122	2,589	50.0	55.9		132	232	33	290	16	355
Chains.....	37	2,594	50.0	44.1		—	228	23	306	11	312
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	2,847	34,642	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,808	2,296	587	2,246	238	1,265
Independents.....	2,671	29,722	85.8	81.9	92.5	2,807	1,818	547	1,540	208	1,068
Chains.....	166	4,368	12.6	18.1	7.5	1	449	32	687	24	145
Other types.....	10	552	1.6	—	—	—	29	8	39	6	32
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	287	12,839	100.0	100.0	(3)	183	1,192	211	1,571	95	2,342
Independents.....	223	9,010	70.2	65.3		177	868	126	1,192	68	1,511
Chains.....	64	3,829	29.8	34.7		6	324	85	379	27	831
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	54	1,014	100.0	100.0	(3)	39	82	13	108	7	210
Independents.....	45	494	48.7	72.1		39	52	13	53	7	132
Chains.....	9	520	51.3	27.9		—	30	—	55	—	78
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	277	7,566	100.0	100.0	100.0	286	582	83	727	42	2,577
Independents.....	277	7,566	100.0	99.7	94.6	286	582	83	727	42	2,577
Chains.....	—	—	—	.3	5.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,995	23,651	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,221	6,096	1,197	4,508	480	276
Independents.....	1,981	22,835	96.5	95.2	94.9	2,221	5,849	1,160	4,297	439	265
Chains.....	14	816	3.5	4.8	5.1	—	247	37	211	21	11
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	337	8,456	100.0	100.0	(3)	312	877	246	817	96	1,855
Independents.....	328	6,381	75.5	100.0		311	658	189	595	78	1,652
Chains.....	9	2,075	24.5	—		1	219	57	222	18	203
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	251	5,629	100.0	100.0	(3)	206	447	86	530	39	1,507
Independents.....	226	5,629	100.0	83.3		206	447	86	530	39	1,507
Chains.....	5	—	—	16.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	207	9,110	100.0	100.0	—	47	318	24	458	11	422
Independents.....	47	377	4.1	5.8	—	47	26	11	20	5	43
Chains.....	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	160	8,733	95.9	92.8	—	—	292	13	438	6	379
Other types.....	—	—	—	.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	295	4,913	100.0	100.0	100.0	296	855	226	967	138	357
Independents.....	293	4,913	100.0	99.5	92.5	296	855	226	967	138	357
Chains.....	2	—	—	.4	7.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	265	11,422	100.0	100.0	(3)	223	582	104	643	60	1,132
Independents.....	237	8,777	76.9	91.3		223	439	85	477	50	832
Chains.....	14	712	6.2	2.6		—	32	2	40	1	66
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	14	1,933	16.9	6.1		—	111	17	126	9	234
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	44	2,269	100.0	100.0	(3)	32	152	17	180	8	313
Independents.....	35	1,446	63.7	88.8		32	121	12	144	6	255
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	9	823	36.3	11.2		—	31	5	36	2	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	155	3,714	100.0	100.0	100.0	161	306	41	538	14	1,575
Independents.....	154	3,714	100.0	100.0	100.0	161	306	41	538	14	1,575
Chains.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	122	1,615	100.0	100.0	100.0	103	178	36	188	14	140
Independents.....	119	1,511	93.6	89.8	93.6	103	171	35	177	13	132
Chains.....	3	104	6.4	10.2	6.4	—	7	1	11	1	8
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	172	1,432	100.0	100.0	(3)	176	235	54	247	24	51
Independents.....	172	1,432	100.0	100.0		176	235	54	247	24	51
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	14	104	100.0	100.0	(3)	15	11	5	5	1	7
Independents.....	13	—	—	74.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	104	100.0	25.8		15	11	5	5	1	7
Other types.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	3,958	61,454	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,915	6,231	1,527	6,234	604	9,747

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

PENNSYLVANIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	154,543	\$3,133,377	100.0	100.0	100.0	125,552	347,790	66,616	\$538,718	\$24,927	\$598,664
Independents.....	122,359	2,244,449	71.6	69.0	74.9	124,316	245,065	36,891	236,094	18,170	317,271
Single-store.....	113,957	1,965,521	62.7	60.1	65.3	118,629	206,947	55,700	197,756	13,097	276,292
Multiunit.....	5,745	266,659	8.5	6.4	9.5	5,190	54,482	4,555	37,262	1,886	58,377
Market and roadside stands.....	2,568	9,581	.3	.4	(1)	2,224	987	490	583	141	164
Leased departments—-independent.....	289	4,688	.1	.1	.1	273	669	148	515	46	458
Chains.....	10,068	755,141	24.0	28.6	21.4	305	93,554	25,660	89,138	8,963	87,979
Local chains.....	1,747	98,018	3.1	2.6	5.2	192	14,273	2,685	15,672	1,208	7,907
Sectional or national chains.....	6,951	599,008	19.1	25.0	15.0	91	71,188	21,832	66,559	7,315	54,041
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	1,029	48,105	1.5	.6	1.0	7	6,456	976	7,489	537	5,044
Leased-department chains.....	561	10,010	.3	.2	.2	15	1,639	569	1,438	105	987
Other types.....	2,118	155,787	4.4	4.4	5.7	911	11,171	1,865	13,486	794	13,614
Utility-operated stores.....	276	11,508	.4	.4	.4	13	1,970	947	2,527	414	1,675
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	405	17,297	.6	.5	.2	236	5,963	557	5,065	278	755
Commissaries or company stores.....	66	9,180	.3	.5	.2	2	905	175	915	58	1,280
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	130	8,853	.3	.2	.1	---	504	110	462	25	637
Other types of operation.....	1,219	69,189	2.8	2.6	2.8	660	3,829	76	4,717	23	9,267
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	15,977	146,742	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,152	7,995	2,303	7,205	828	15,081
Independents.....	14,059	91,079	62.1	50.2	45.5	14,097	5,540	846	2,597	235	11,515
Chains.....	1,877	55,088	37.5	49.5	54.0	10	4,370	1,449	4,728	592	5,495
Other types.....	41	575	.4	.3	.7	25	85	6	62	1	71
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	16,104	475,577	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,608	54,020	6,198	50,741	5,111	50,754
Independents.....	13,952	254,153	53.7	54.2	57.6	14,566	16,943	5,125	14,047	975	21,429
Chains.....	2,120	218,589	46.1	45.7	41.7	29	16,994	5,060	16,614	2,131	9,228
Other types.....	32	655	.2	.1	.5	13	65	13	80	5	99
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	1,618	79,987	100.0	(3)	(3)	1,178	11,554	757	16,252	562	1,095
Independents.....	1,179	54,134	67.7	---	---	1,155	7,992	407	11,152	160	814
Chains.....	428	25,557	31.9	---	---	15	5,502	348	5,059	202	277
Other types.....	11	298	.4	---	---	6	40	2	41	(4)	4
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	6,675	28,688	100.0	100.0	(3)	6,736	3,076	667	1,862	267	1,676
Independents.....	6,692	24,574	65.7	65.6	---	6,716	2,197	686	1,216	211	1,556
Chains.....	174	4,013	14.0	12.3	---	7	870	181	655	56	154
Other types.....	9	101	.5	1.9	---	11	9	---	11	---	6
Department stores.....	262	574,954	100.0	100.0	100.0	71	54,982	10,177	82,587	4,563	52,385
Independents.....	110	267,631	71.4	73.3	78.8	71	42,952	7,351	49,408	3,508	55,505
Chains and mail-order.....	152	107,503	28.6	26.6	23.4	---	12,030	2,626	15,159	1,055	17,080
Other types.....	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	1,082	88,530	100.0	100.0	100.0	547	19,925	9,909	11,374	2,757	11,084
Independents.....	570	6,797	7.7	5.7	7.1	541	1,068	371	540	80	2,191
Chains.....	512	61,755	92.5	94.5	92.9	8	18,655	9,538	10,654	2,657	6,695
Other types.....	---	---	Three stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	2,195	64,932	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,053	5,270	849	8,655	555	20,592
Independents.....	2,051	55,068	81.8	62.2	83.5	2,038	4,350	721	5,553	272	18,803
Chains.....	144	11,846	18.2	17.6	16.5	17	920	128	1,302	83	1,789
Other types.....	---	---	Three stores cmbd with "Independents."	(1)	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	657	23,281	100.0	100.0	100.0	712	5,013	829	2,677	210	7,084
Independents.....	756	17,651	76.8	65.7	73.4	705	2,104	441	1,916	147	6,234
Chains.....	121	5,450	23.4	16.3	25.9	7	909	188	981	63	650
Other types.....	---	---	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	2,563	62,122	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,118	11,599	2,788	9,930	901	11,424
Independents.....	2,164	64,526	78.6	75.6	85.7	2,091	9,095	2,111	7,982	711	9,955
Chains.....	188	17,559	21.1	26.2	13.5	18	2,255	675	1,878	190	1,485
Other types.....	13	257	.3	(1)	.8	7	51	---	72	---	4
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	1,924	58,449	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,160	6,177	2,166	5,915	824	15,488
Independents.....	1,215	25,047	44.4	40.4	54.9	1,144	2,570	715	2,485	197	9,066
Chains.....	636	29,085	51.5	58.2	41.4	14	3,296	1,522	3,164	391	5,929
Leased departments.....	73	2,357	4.1	5.4	---	22	509	129	266	36	475
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	5.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	1,547	76,630	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,525	6,642	554	11,929	249	18,006
Independents.....	1,287	62,952	79.6	65.1	83.5	1,513	6,664	501	8,952	224	15,725
Chains.....	58	15,745	20.0	---	9.9	6	1,953	52	2,954	24	2,256
Other types.....	4	153	.2	14.9	6.8	4	45	1	43	1	27
Household appliance dealers.....	779	24,057	100.0	(3)	(3)	379	4,185	1,020	4,954	422	5,584
Independents.....	571	6,975	29.0	---	---	375	654	113	815	51	1,170
Chains.....	148	5,903	24.5	---	---	---	1,405	11	1,761	4	853
Utility-operated stores.....	249	10,978	45.6	---	---	---	1,675	694	2,222	567	1,564
Other types.....	11	205	.9	---	---	4	31	2	56	(4)	17
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	665	16,507	100.0	(3)	(3)	698	1,826	224	1,903	121	2,962
Independents.....	857	16,007	97.0	---	---	695	1,796	221	1,667	121	2,661
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	8	500	3.0	---	---	5	50	5	36	(4)	81
Radio stores—other.....	175	1,979	100.0	100.0	100.0	168	217	18	241	5	525
Independents.....	173	1,979	100.0	94.0	69.5	168	217	18	241	5	525
Chains.....	---	---	---	5.0	9.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	5.0	.9	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

PENNSYLVANIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	2,455	\$320,703	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,378	21,468	563	\$27,247	\$296	\$32,042
Independents.....	2,445	319,276	99.6	98.2		2,378	21,581	563	27,124	296	31,929
Chains.....	10	1,425	.4	1.8		—	87	—	123	—	113
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	1,181	32,979	100.0	100.0	(3)	615	3,370	126	4,194	47	5,458
Independents.....	622	16,084	48.6	48.7		615	1,678	65	1,907	29	3,384
Chains.....	359	16,895	51.2	51.3		—	1,692	41	2,287	18	2,052
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	14,031	160,927	100.0	100.0	100.0	13,748	13,395	1,914	11,520	625	7,787
Independents.....	13,403	143,286	89.1	70.9	58.5	13,716	10,767	1,622	8,573	589	7,035
Chains.....	623	17,277	10.7	29.1	39.6	32	2,560	79	2,906	32	713
Other types.....	5	364	.2	(1)	1.9	—	48	13	41	4	19
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	1,221	65,534	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,092	7,028	901	9,272	686	17,256
Independents.....	1,204	64,099	97.6	98.5		1,089	6,691	669	9,080	675	16,880
Chains.....	17	1,455	2.2	1.5		3	137	12	192	13	376
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	744	11,737	100.0	100.0	(3)	666	1,210	205	1,346	133	2,611
Independents.....	650	7,594	64.7	73.7		656	627	153	659	113	2,178
Chains.....	94	4,143	35.3	26.3		6	363	50	507	20	633
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	1,665	39,327	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,008	3,549	310	3,974	151	17,035
Independents.....	1,660	39,192	99.7	98.4	94.5	2,005	3,533	310	3,956	151	16,979
Chains.....	5	135	.3	1.6	.1	3	16	—	18	—	56
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	5.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	10,067	132,746	100.0	100.0	100.0	10,356	36,669	4,612	23,666	1,551	2,144
Independents.....	9,761	107,256	80.6	75.9	79.1	10,342	28,798	3,437	17,502	1,028	1,977
Chains.....	295	25,353	19.1	23.7	20.7	9	6,050	1,368	6,333	520	164
Other types.....	11	155	.1	.4	.2	5	41	7	31	3	3
Drug stores with fountain.....	2,912	73,963	100.0	100.0	(3)	2,559	9,692	1,932	6,149	734	15,713
Independents.....	2,655	54,060	73.1	72.9		2,551	8,942	1,601	5,586	580	13,295
Chains.....	257	19,923	26.9	27.1		6	2,750	331	2,763	154	2,418
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	1,538	30,409	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,318	2,493	497	2,601	162	7,090
Independents.....	1,350	16,711	54.9	63.3		1,302	1,533	397	1,388	140	5,564
Chains.....	188	13,698	45.1	36.7		16	960	100	1,213	42	1,506
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	655	76,940	100.0	100.0	—	75	2,576	11	3,451	6	7,495
Independents.....	73	2,355	3.1	3.4	—	75	102	11	116	6	67
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	562	74,585	96.9	96.5	—	—	2,474	—	3,335	—	7,408
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	2,682	60,544	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,636	6,523	1,428	7,296	1,064	4,425
Independents.....	2,606	51,315	85.0	67.2	60.2	2,626	5,481	1,232	5,976	889	3,758
Chains.....	57	6,304	15.6	12.4	19.6	2	960	176	1,210	168	586
Other types.....	19	725	1.2	.4	—	10	102	18	110	7	61
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	1,216	44,388	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,140	2,484	314	2,449	127	5,019
Independents.....	1,049	33,764	76.1	78.0		1,132	1,644	202	1,739	64	4,149
Chains.....	106	4,741	10.7	10.1		6	376	47	472	27	444
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	61	5,683	15.2	—	—	—	262	65	236	16	428
Other types.....	—	—	—	10.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	284	7,969	100.0	100.0	(3)	283	782	46	620	15	1,636
Independents.....	257	4,018	50.3	79.6		256	261	35	318	13	628
Chains.....	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	14	1,176	14.7	5.7		—	67	11	73	2	75
Other types.....	13	2,793	35.0	14.0		7	434	—	429	—	1,133
Jewelry stores.....	1,205	29,126	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,111	3,053	189	4,299	63	14,424
Independents.....	1,148	25,418	87.3	93.6	94.0	1,105	2,628	176	3,637	60	13,360
Chains.....	57	3,708	12.7	6.2	5.5	6	425	11	662	3	1,044
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	2,443	16,242	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,376	920	182	635	56	1,568
Independents.....	2,354	12,587	77.2	66.6	75.2	2,370	646	172	479	52	1,253
Chains.....	65	3,691	22.7	30.7	23.1	—	271	9	354	4	315
Other types.....	4	14	.1	.5	1.7	6	3	1	2	(4)	—
Florists.....	1,363	12,473	100.0	100.0	(3)	1,415	1,670	356	1,765	128	982
Independents.....	1,350	12,110	97.1	97.9		1,411	1,620	356	1,708	128	956
Chains.....	10	363	2.9	2.1		4	50	—	57	—	24
Other types.....	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	805	9,001	100.0	100.0	(3)	802	1,965	1,040	716	153	601
Independents.....	595	6,745	74.9	71.2		802	1,513	884	438	123	488
Chains.....	209	2,256	25.1	28.2		—	452	156	276	30	113
Other types.....	—	—	—	.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	55,636	487,694	100.0	100.0	100.0	35,071	56,286	11,335	50,333	4,155	63,480

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
2 Two mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."
3 Comparable data not available.
4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

PHILADELPHIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	30,099	\$766,622	100.0	100.0	100.0	28,058	90,751	13,968	\$99,516	\$6,390	\$91,083
Independents.....	27,819	529,734	69.1	88.9	71.1	27,927	81,564	8,661	66,962	3,819	67,532
Single-store.....	26,203	459,275	59.9	55.5	55.5	26,914	51,656	7,177	54,798	3,010	57,820
Multiunit.....	962	67,224	8.8	12.8	15.5	567	9,640	1,439	11,906	784	9,795
Market and roadside stands.....	366	2,075	.5	.5	(1)	576	134	37	114	13	51
Leased departments—Independent.....	68	1,160	.1	.1	.1	70	154	28	144	12	88
Chains.....	2,302	206,130	26.9	28.7	23.0	86	27,018	5,134	29,342	2,447	20,244
Local chains.....	554	35,634	4.6	5.3	5.6	56	6,659	1,336	5,893	716	1,690
Sectional or national chains ²	1,466	154,438	20.2	22.2	15.0	27	18,227	3,456	20,837	1,584	16,991
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	221	15,618	1.8	1.1	2.0	1	1,744	271	2,257	119	1,270
Leased-department chains.....	61	2,440	.5	.1	.2	2	368	71	575	28	295
Other types.....	178	30,758	4.0	4.4	5.9	45	2,149	173	3,012	124	3,507
Utility-operated stores.....	20	4,201	.5	.5	.4	4	525	—	658	—	298
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	45	3,698	.5	.5	.3	18	920	165	1,201	119	146
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types of operation.....	108	22,859	3.0	3.4	5.2	23	904	8	1,153	5	2,863
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	3,450	36,366	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,950	1,894	408	1,904	168	3,053
Independents.....	2,848	21,743	59.8	62.7	44.9	2,914	679	121	584	39	2,032
Chains.....	598	14,598	40.1	37.1	55.1	9	1,215	287	1,340	129	1,018
Other types.....	4	25	.1	.2	(1)	7	—	—	—	—	3
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,874	72,244	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,610	4,917	959	4,920	525	3,951
Independents.....	2,550	34,793	48.2	45.7	44.6	2,610	1,842	289	1,694	117	2,223
Chains.....	324	37,451	51.8	54.1	55.4	—	3,075	690	3,226	408	1,728
Other types.....	—	—	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	292	22,955	100.0	(5)	(5)	129	2,950	91	5,164	100	174
Independents.....	135	8,980	39.1	—	—	125	1,304	19	2,230	7	85
Chains.....	157	13,975	60.9	—	—	4	1,646	72	2,934	93	89
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	2,049	8,272	100.0	100.0	(5)	2,024	688	214	485	80	581
Independents.....	2,006	7,104	85.9	73.9	—	2,024	421	154	298	60	350
Chains.....	43	1,168	14.1	20.0	—	—	265	60	189	20	31
Other types.....	—	—	One store cmbd with "Independents."	6.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	22	164,801	100.0	100.0	100.0	3	23,087	2,558	28,594	1,020	22,875
Independents.....	10	112,088	68.0	75.8	72.5	3	17,476	2,092	21,282	750	12,462
Chains and mail-order.....	12	52,713	32.0	24.2	27.5	—	5,611	466	7,312	270	10,215
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	211	14,893	100.0	100.0	100.0	131	3,208	1,537	2,129	604	1,716
Independents.....	158	1,061	7.1	5.1	6.0	130	122	38	85	14	292
Chains.....	75	15,832	92.9	94.9	94.0	1	3,086	1,499	2,044	590	1,424
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	583	18,586	100.0	100.0	100.0	530	1,455	171	2,302	95	4,476
Independents.....	554	15,151	81.6	85.4	86.6	519	1,198	150	1,901	81	4,029
Chains.....	29	3,415	18.4	14.6	13.4	11	257	21	401	14	447
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	159	3,148	100.0	100.0	100.0	143	348	53	403	23	886
Independents.....	145	2,247	71.4	95.4	86.9	140	211	37	213	16	786
Chains.....	16	901	28.6	4.6	12.6	3	137	16	190	7	100
Other types.....	—	—	One store cmbd with "Independents."	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	662	30,330	100.0	100.0	100.0	597	4,292	1,020	4,355	398	3,495
Independents.....	628	24,792	81.7	60.3	66.4	595	3,825	884	3,704	342	2,979
Chains.....	34	5,538	18.3	39.7	15.4	2	667	156	851	56	516
Other types.....	—	—	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	552	14,306	100.0	100.0	100.0	408	1,309	368	1,648	167	3,811
Independents.....	406	6,776	47.4	35.5	46.5	399	567	106	753	43	2,437
Chains.....	137	7,285	50.9	64.4	47.3	5	712	251	860	119	1,312
Leased departments.....	9	245	1.7	.1	—	4	30	11	35	5	62
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	6.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	317	12,759	100.0	100.0	100.0	331	1,488	147	1,852	59	2,488
Independents.....	316	—	99.2	90.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	12,759	100.0	.8	6.4	331	1,488	147	1,852	59	2,488
Other types.....	1	—	—	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	107	7,399	100.0	(3)	(3)	72	795	18	1,299	9	721
Independents.....	66	1,888	22.8	—	—	72	150	16	197	8	195
Chains.....	22	1,514	20.5	—	—	—	320	2	444	1	230
Utility-operated stores.....	19	4,187	56.7	—	—	—	325	—	658	—	298
Other types.....	—	—	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	80	2,581	100.0	(3)	(3)	75	200	20	241	16	447
Independents.....	79	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	2,581	100.0	—	—	75	200	20	241	16	447
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	38	690	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	71	2	94	1	154
Independents.....	38	690	100.0	85.7	87.8	36	71	2	94	1	154
Chains.....	—	—	—	9.6	12.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	4.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

PHILADELPHIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	125	\$45,889	100.0	100.0	(3)	90	2,533	15	\$3,879	\$10	\$3,317
Independents.....	124			91.8							
Chains.....	1	45,889	100.0	8.2		90	2,533	15	3,879	10	3,317
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	146	4,812	100.0	100.0	(3)	116	446	6	651	2	815
Independents.....	115	2,301	47.8	54.3		116	225	5	294	2	521
Chains.....	31	2,511	52.2	45.7			221	1	337	(*)	294
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	1,201	16,923	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,138	1,737	187	1,668	85	559
Independents.....	1,073	14,078	83.2	50.6	34.1	1,130	1,203	174	1,061	80	492
Chains.....	128	2,845	16.8	49.4	65.9	8	534	13	607	5	67
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	95	5,291	100.0	100.0	(3)	75	554	24	777	47	1,160
Independents.....	93			99.5							
Chains.....	2	5,291	100.0	.5		75	554	24	777	47	1,160
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	185	3,458	100.0	100.0	(3)	129	259	22	396	12	615
Independents.....	137	1,459	42.2	59.9		125	129	18	162	10	359
Chains.....	28	1,997	57.8	40.1		4	130	4	234	2	256
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	463	5,926	100.0	100.0	100.0	484	428	29	472	12	2,440
Independents.....	463	5,928	100.0	100.0	99.5	484	428	29	472	12	2,440
Chains.....					.5						
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,403	44,417	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,380	13,180	1,880	9,295	682	427
Independents.....	2,267	27,173	61.2	51.9	63.0	2,376	7,858	864	4,917	260	362
Chains.....	136	17,244	38.8	47.5	37.0	4	5,522	996	4,378	422	85
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Drug stores with fountain.....	962	18,595	100.0	100.0	(3)	899	2,500	596	2,035	247	4,008
Independents.....	922	14,939	80.3	79.8		899	1,948	518	1,468	208	3,578
Chains.....	40	3,656	19.7	20.2			554	78	587	39	432
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	512	8,001	100.0	100.0	(3)	447	628	163	660	59	1,740
Independents.....	450	4,137	51.7	65.5		440	388	135	320	47	1,445
Chains.....	82	3,864	48.3	34.4		7	262	28	340	12	295
Other types.....				.1							
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	124	21,132	100.0	100.0	---	37	632	8	826	5	1,803
Independents.....	35	1,453	6.8	5.8	---	37	57	8	63	5	18
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....	89	19,699	93.2	94.1	---		575	---	763	---	1,785
Other types.....				.3							
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	424	23,224	100.0	100.0	100.0	371	2,255	480	2,973	512	1,644
Independents.....	400	18,255	78.6	78.6	87.1	369	1,662	364	2,258	394	1,265
Chains.....	24	4,969	21.4	21.2	32.9	2	593	96	735	118	379
Other types.....				.2							
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	15	143	100.0	100.0	(3)	16	13	1	9	(*)	18
Independents.....	15	143	100.0	100.0		16	13	1	9	(*)	18
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	12	2,186	100.0	100.0	(3)	11	272	1	340	(*)	998
Independents.....	10										
Chains.....		2,186	100.0	100.0		11	272	1	340	(*)	996
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....	2										
Jewelry stores.....	245	8,389	100.0	100.0	100.0	215	1,035	34	1,523	27	4,188
Independents.....	234	7,383	87.8	91.9	94.9	215	692	33	1,298	27	3,972
Chains.....	11	1,026	12.2	8.1			143	1	225	(*)	218
Other types.....				5.1							
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	1,462	8,785	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,410	348	51	389	20	822
Independents.....	1,418	6,619	75.5	70.8	72.9	1,410	187	44	177	18	634
Chains.....	44	2,146	24.5	29.4	27.1		161	7	212	2	188
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Florists.....	374	3,390	100.0	100.0	(3)	378	477	88	529	29	145
Independents.....	371			94.8							
Chains.....	1	3,390	100.0	5.2		378	477	86	529	29	145
Other types.....	2										
News dealers.....	251	1,781	100.0	100.0	(3)	159	278	94	172	21	89
Independents.....	156	493	27.7	27.9		159	58	21	23	8	8
Chains.....	95	1,288	72.3	70.2			222	73	149	15	83
Other types.....				1.9							
All other kinds of business.....	9,724	135,042	100.0	100.0	100.0	9,684	18,458	2,765	17,352	1,355	17,869

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Two stores, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

5 Includes one farm implement-tractor-hardware dealer.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

PITTSBURGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	7,875	\$557,512	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,966	45,906	7,882	\$50,008	\$5,915	\$57,557
Independents.....	6,925	255,592	69.8	64.1	70.7	6,921	50,905	4,863	58,155	2,742	29,375
Single-store.....	6,420	210,482	62.4	58.1	55.9	6,412	27,575	4,457	51,789	2,569	28,890
Multiunit.....	598	25,340	6.9	5.7	6.8	207	5,508	406	4,180	165	2,432
Market and roadside stands.....	77	987	.5	.2	(1)	78	85	12	65	7	5
Leased departments—-independent.....	28	785	.2	.1	—	24	157	8	125	5	50
Chains.....	880	89,568	26.2	51.2	27.1	55	12,005	2,990	12,840	1,115	7,158
Local chains.....	168	12,087	5.8	4.2	7.0	19	1,525	258	1,824	125	1,572
Sectional or national chains.....	545	66,155	19.8	25.9	17.7	11	8,959	2,415	8,975	918	4,858
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	128	8,742	2.6	.6	2.0	1	1,501	161	1,850	59	791
Leased-department chains.....	45	1,426	.4	.5	.4	2	240	58	215	17	119
Other types.....	72	15,552	4.0	4.7	2.2	12	1,000	129	1,215	58	1,044
Utility-operated stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Other types of operation."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	24	2,597	.8	.7	.4	6	642	121	754	55	132
Commissaries or company stores.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types of operation.....	46	10,755	5.2	3.9	1.8	8	558	8	459	3	912
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,058	11,895	100.0	100.0	100.0	938	857	222	598	78	920
Independents.....	957	7,414	65.4	44.6	47.7	958	514	84	225	17	654
Chains.....	119	4,279	38.8	55.6	52.5	—	323	158	375	61	266
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,028	42,095	100.0	100.0	100.0	864	5,598	885	5,897	527	2,270
Independents.....	858	21,175	50.5	51.7	58.5	862	1,914	405	2,122	172	1,432
Chains.....	188	20,920	49.7	48.5	41.5	2	1,682	478	1,775	155	838
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	59	9,050	100.0	(2)	(2)	27	1,264	76	2,197	50	180
Independents.....	52	7,501	80.7	—	—	27	1,005	17	1,925	9	150
Chains.....	27	1,749	19.5	—	—	—	261	59	272	21	50
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	545	3,524	100.0	100.0	(2)	508	435	87	328	50	163
Independents.....	501	2,153	81.1	89.5	—	505	175	57	113	15	125
Chains.....	42	1,371	38.9	50.2	—	5	260	50	215	15	65
Other types.....	—	—	—	.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	12	84,420	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	12,770	2,955	18,541	1,918	11,818
Independents.....	7	76,100	90.1	—	95.5	—	11,757	2,542	15,562	1,689	10,882
Chains.....	5	8,320	9.9	—	8.7	—	1,013	395	1,179	229	854
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	74	10,805	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	2,155	891	1,509	322	1,055
Independents.....	46	816	7.8	2.2	—	46	71	17	43	4	181
Chains.....	28	9,987	92.4	97.8	100.0	—	2,062	874	1,466	318	854
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	158	8,058	100.0	100.0	100.0	154	469	52	688	32	1,590
Independents.....	139	5,454	57.0	60.9	—	151	279	54	385	18	1,022
Chains.....	17	2,604	45.0	59.1	100.0	5	190	18	305	14	558
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	28	1,685	100.0	100.0	100.0	50	298	81	502	59	288
Independents.....	28	1,685	100.0	100.0	85.9	50	298	81	502	59	288
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	14.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	149	8,004	100.0	100.0	100.0	126	1,078	190	1,028	74	857
Independents.....	150	5,113	65.9	84.5	70.8	124	755	100	750	45	717
Chains.....	19	2,891	58.1	55.7	27.8	2	325	90	278	29	140
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	159	8,055	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	855	210	700	81	1,268
Independents.....	88	2,588	42.4	54.7	52.6	70	287	70	288	25	705
Chains.....	49	5,378	55.8	65.0	44.1	—	557	158	402	57	545
Leased departments.....	4	109	1.8	2.5	—	2	11	4	10	1	20
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	5.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	61	10,445	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	1,391	85	2,119	51	1,564
Independents.....	54	5,210	50.7	29.8	54.9	46	547	51	518	18	715
Chains.....	7	7,255	89.5	70.2	29.1	—	1,044	52	1,603	15	849
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	58.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	57	2,245	100.0	(2)	(2)	18	405	12	567	7	555
Independents.....	18	540	24.1	—	—	18	89	6	100	4	137
Chains.....	18	1,451	84.8	—	—	—	285	1	426	(3)	155
Utility-operated stores.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	254	11.5	—	—	—	51	5	41	5	45
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	25	815	100.0	(2)	(2)	26	89	10	77	5	102
Independents.....	25	815	100.0	—	—	28	89	10	77	5	102
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	4	12	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	—	—	—	—	2
Independents.....	4	12	100.0	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	2
Chains.....	—	—	—	100.0	55.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

PITTSBURGH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	59	\$19,308	100.0	100.0	(2)	41	1,257	9	\$2,011	\$7	\$1,977
Independents.....	59	19,308	100.0	100.0		41	1,257	9	2,011	7	1,977
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	61	3,478	100.0	100.0	(2)	35	376	9	555	5	550
Independents.....	39	1,484	42.7	34.0		35	154	6	201	2	280
Chains.....	22	1,994	57.3	66.0		—	222	3	354	3	290
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	450	11,400	100.0	100.0	100.0	403	1,277	78	1,273	33	349
Independents.....	397	8,883	77.9	47.2	29.8	401	869	71	766	27	291
Chains.....	53	2,517	22.1	52.8	70.2	2	408	7	507	6	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	47	5,446	100.0	100.0	(2)	28	602	30	982	24	819
Independents.....	46	5,446	100.0	100.0		28	602	30	982	24	819
Chains.....	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	54	1,115	100.0	100.0	(2)	48	132	35	139	29	218
Independents.....	45	778	89.8	61.7		47	77	12	95	19	162
Chains.....	9	337	30.2	38.3		1	55	23	44	10	54
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores ⁴	108	1,862	100.0	100.0	100.0	110	202	32	262	25	768
Independents.....	108	1,862	100.0	100.0		110	202	32	262	25	768
Chains.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	703	17,843	100.0	100.0	100.0	679	5,000	419	3,812	173	330
Independents.....	637	12,877	72.2	67.7	74.8	678	3,431	203	2,567	127	279
Chains.....	68	4,968	27.8	32.1	25.4	1	1,569	216	1,255	46	51
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	263	9,902	100.0	100.0	(2)	206	1,587	327	1,376	127	1,698
Independents.....	216	5,898	59.8	54.5		204	978	238	781	81	1,224
Chains.....	47	4,004	40.4	45.5		2	609	89	595	48	474
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	101	2,383	100.0	100.0	(2)	82	239	58	240	25	449
Independents.....	87	1,400	58.7	62.0		82	154	44	147	21	336
Chains.....	14	983	41.3	38.0		—	85	14	95	4	113
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	49	9,860	100.0	100.0	—	11	281	1	373	(3)	836
Independents.....	11	234	2.4	1.9	—	11	7	1	6	(3)	5
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	38	9,426	97.8	98.1	—	—	274	—	367	—	831
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	114	2,969	100.0	100.0	100.0	110	329	135	336	65	76
Independents.....	101	1,485	50.0	40.2	100.0	110	206	76	193	34	33
Chains.....	13	1,484	50.0	59.4	—	—	123	59	143	31	43
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	11	826	100.0	100.0	(2)	4	51	4	79	1	104
Independents.....	9	828	100.0	100.0		4	51	4	79	1	104
Chains.....	2	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	Two stores combined with "Hay, grain and feed stores."										
Independents.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	83	4,331	100.0	100.0	100.0	83	462	8	855	3	2,322
Independents.....	72	3,295	76.1	95.2	92.8	60	339	6	630	3	1,876
Chains.....	11	1,036	23.9	6.8	7.2	3	123	—	225	—	446
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	92	1,230	100.0	100.0	100.0	83	90	13	86	6	102
Independents.....	85	962	78.2	55.0	38.8	83	71	12	64	6	82
Chains.....	7	268	21.8	47.0	60.4	—	19	1	22	(3)	20
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	74	1,546	100.0	100.0	(2)	75	235	31	277	19	89
Independents.....	72	1,546	100.0	99.2	—	75	235	31	277	19	89
Chains.....	2	—	—	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	26	324	100.0	100.0	(2)	15	82	37	28	5	15
Independents.....	17	142	43.8	52.2	—	15	39	32	9	3	11
Chains.....	9	182	56.2	45.1	—	—	23	5	19	2	4
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	2,211	47,193	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,136	6,528	946	6,773	394	4,658

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
¹ Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
² Comparable data not available.
³ Less than \$500.
⁴ Includes two farm implement-tractor-hardware dealers.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

RHODE ISLAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	10,435	\$275,447	100.0	100.0	100.0	9,100	30,301	6,520	\$30,978	\$2,407	\$29,209
Independents.....	9,554	203,947	74.0	72.0	74.7	9,014	21,853	4,062	22,320	1,495	23,028
Single-store.....	8,896	180,410	65.5	64.1	65.0	8,688	18,835	3,402	19,286	1,298	20,362
Multiunit.....	554	21,652	7.9	7.5	9.7	242	2,795	587	2,820	174	2,507
Market and roadside stands.....	66	323	.1	.1	---	58	40	10	27	3	1
Leased departments—Independent.....	38	1,562	.5	.3	---	28	183	63	187	20	158
Chains.....	822	66,864	24.3	26.9	24.6	19	7,729	2,319	7,818	821	5,515
Local chains.....	159	14,182	5.2	4.2	8.2	11	1,935	547	2,000	229	1,082
Sectional or national chains.....	559	44,713	16.2	22.0	15.0	4	5,048	1,681	4,683	557	3,809
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	55	6,217	2.3	.2	1.0	---	495	31	734	19	652
Leased-department chains.....	49	1,752	.8	.5	.4	4	251	60	221	16	170
Other types.....	109	4,636	1.7	1.1	.7	67	719	139	1,040	91	868
Utility-operated stores.....	15	1,833	.7	.8	.1	---	285	97	449	75	484
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	31	1,632	.6	.4	.2	14	346	24	456	8	124
Commissaries or company stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	8	318	.1	(1)	.1	---	13	7	11	3	14
Other types of operation.....	59	853	.3	.1	.3	53	95	11	124	5	46
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	1,189	12,623	100.0	100.0	100.0	932	706	286	711	110	862
Independents.....	937	8,023	47.7	47.6	32.3	929	191	68	147	21	395
Chains.....	249	6,586	52.2	12.3	67.7	2	514	217	564	89	467
Other types.....	3	14	.1	.1	---	1	1	1	(2)	(2)	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,299	48,091	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,201	3,881	1,205	3,490	428	2,903
Independents.....	1,184	28,925	58.4	45.2	64.7	1,200	1,893	450	1,680	122	1,781
Chains.....	115	19,166	41.6	54.7	35.3	1	1,988	755	1,810	308	1,112
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	151	7,682	100.0	(3)	(3)	112	688	59	1,200	19	72
Independents.....	135	4,526	58.9	---	---	112	589	44	704	14	47
Chains.....	16	3,156	41.1	---	---	---	299	15	496	5	30
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	311	2,221	100.0	100.0	(3)	284	233	75	158	23	95
Independents.....	290	1,604	72.2	56.2	---	284	109	36	70	14	85
Chains.....	21	617	27.8	43.8	---	---	124	37	88	9	10
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	18	23,753	100.0	100.0	100.0	1	3,935	753	4,080	245	3,420
Independents.....	9	20,952	88.2	87.9	97.5	1	3,560	576	3,785	192	3,104
Chains.....	7	2,801	11.8	12.1	2.5	---	375	177	296	53	316
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	93	8,376	100.0	100.0	100.0	55	1,364	651	826	194	609
Independents.....	65	1,456	22.5	7.8	12.6	55	349	152	185	50	258
Chains.....	28	4,940	77.5	92.4	87.4	---	1,015	499	643	144	551
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	149	5,325	100.0	100.0	100.0	109	477	110	591	43	1,209
Independents.....	129	2,901	54.5	59.7	59.4	107	241	48	277	17	819
Chains.....	20	2,424	45.5	40.3	39.0	2	236	62	314	28	390
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	54	1,759	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	207	63	196	16	462
Independents.....	49	1,552	88.2	94.8	92.7	46	177	55	164	15	447
Chains.....	5	207	11.8	5.2	7.3	---	30	8	32	1	15
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	133	8,742	100.0	100.0	100.0	60	1,195	327	1,202	109	735
Independents.....	108	4,834	55.3	77.5	55.8	79	868	189	851	63	480
Chains.....	25	3,908	44.7	22.5	43.8	1	527	138	551	48	255
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	149	5,496	100.0	100.0	100.0	83	547	179	596	57	1,199
Independents.....	98	1,950	35.5	45.1	57.8	77	217	66	201	20	589
Chains.....	37	2,833	51.5	43.3	41.0	3	262	98	301	32	449
Leased departments.....	14	713	13.0	10.8	---	3	68	15	94	5	181
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Furniture stores.....	138	6,870	100.0	100.0	100.0	96	695	35	1,092	17	1,422
Independents.....	156	6,870	100.0	100.0	94.7	96	695	35	1,092	17	1,422
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	5.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	43	2,920	100.0	(3)	(3)	11	426	99	683	75	588
Independents.....	15	486	16.6	---	---	11	59	---	76	---	31
Chains.....	15	601	20.6	---	---	---	102	2	158	(2)	73
Utility-operated stores.....	13	1,833	62.8	---	---	---	265	97	449	75	484
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	25	636	100.0	(3)	(3)	28	60	21	105	8	76
Independents.....	22	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	636	100.0	---	---	26	60	21	105	8	78
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	15	223	100.0	100.0	100.0	9	36	3	47	1	47
Independents.....	15	223	100.0	100.0	88.2	9	36	3	47	1	47
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	13.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

RHODE ISLAND

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	145	\$23,860	100.0	100.0	(3)	107	1,398	31	\$1,898	\$20	\$2,156
Independents.....	140			97.1							
Chains.....	5	23,860	100.0	2.9		107	1,398	31	1,898	20	2,156
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	79	3,465	100.0	100.0	(3)	48	327	16	432	8	529
Independents.....	51	1,498	43.2	52.3		48	144	8	183	4	276
Chains.....	28	1,967	56.8	47.7			183	8	249	4	253
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	1,116	15,296	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,082	1,089	165	1,050	75	667
Independents.....	1,078	14,082	92.1	77.3	64.7	1,062	959	164	882	75	622
Chains.....	38	1,214	7.9	22.7	35.3		130	1	168	(2)	45
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	76	9,184	100.0	100.0	(3)	38	758	103	1,209	87	1,828
Independents.....	72			100.0							
Chains.....	4	9,184	100.0			38	758	103	1,209	87	1,828
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	47	952	100.0	100.0	(3)	26	105	4	139	3	255
Independents.....	41	842	88.4	91.7		26	89	3	115	2	216
Chains.....	6	110	11.6	8.3			16	1	24	1	39
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	121	3,892	100.0	100.0	100.0	106	370	19	464	11	1,052
Independents.....	121	3,892	100.0	99.8	100.0	106	370	19	464	11	1,052
Chains.....											
Other types.....				.2							
Restaurants, other eating places.....	921	13,079	100.0	100.0	100.0	936	3,248	563	2,316	197	140
Independents.....	882	10,656	81.5	85.2	86.8	933	2,604	451	1,864	160	122
Chains.....	39	2,423	18.5	14.8	13.2	3	644	112	452	37	18
Other types.....											
Drug stores with fountain.....	295	9,019	100.0	100.0	(3)	224	948	113	961	43	1,536
Independents.....	261	6,667	73.9	74.8		222	651	112	658	42	1,154
Chains.....	34	2,352	26.1	25.2		2	297	1	303	1	382
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	82	1,892	100.0	100.0	(3)	68	147	16	150	7	330
Independents.....	74	1,030	54.4	99.9		68	82	14	81	5	251
Chains.....	8	862	45.6	.1			65	2	69	2	79
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	219	3,472	100.0	100.0	----	180	163	40	154	17	497
Independents.....	219	3,472	100.0	100.0	----	180	163	40	154	17	497
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....											
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	318	13,718	100.0	100.0	(3)	275	1,305	194	1,710	134	965
Independents.....	308	10,790	78.7	83.2		274	1,114	178	1,405	121	764
Chains.....	10	2,928	21.3	15.9		1	191	16	305	13	199
Other types.....				.9							
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	58	4,762	100.0	100.0	(3)	34	225	20	274	12	351
Independents.....	43	2,649	55.6	61.2		34	149	18	172	11	211
Chains.....	15	2,113	44.4	36.8			76	2	102	1	140
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Other types.....				2.0							
Farm and garden supply stores.....	Two stores combined with "Hay, grain and feed stores."										
Independents.....											
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	78	3,085	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	350	18	558	6	936
Independents.....	74	2,945	95.5	79.8	88.3	53	333	17	539	5	914
Chains.....	3			20.4	8.1						
Other types.....	1	140	4.5	----	3.6	1	17	1	17	1	22
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	256	1,933	100.0	100.0	100.0	240	127	58	90	13	134
Independents.....	247	1,488	77.0	83.0	68.8	240	101	51	55	12	104
Chains.....	9	445	23.0	34.5	31.2		26	5	35	1	30
Other types.....				2.5							
Florists.....	139	1,188	100.0	100.0	(3)	125	144	13	159	7	64
Independents.....	139	1,188	100.0	100.0		125	144	13	159	7	64
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	95	1,057	100.0	100.0	(3)	93	230	160	67	22	69
Independents.....	90			94.9							
Chains.....	5	1,057	100.0	4.8		93	230	160	67	22	69
Other types.....				.3							
All other kinds of business.....	2,679	35,076	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,439	4,699	1,125	4,372	402	3,603

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.
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2 Less than \$500.
3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

SOUTH CAROLINA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	18,520	\$332,224	100.0	100.0	100.0	15,759	41,119	9,379	\$29,093	\$1,985	\$32,350
Independents.....	17,365	264,301	79.6	81.0	85.8	15,671	30,390	5,002	21,960	1,085	24,830
Single-store.....	16,079	230,260	69.3	71.8	78.7	15,042	26,211	4,253	18,767	920	20,949
Multiunit.....	1,137	33,710	10.2	9.0	7.1	495	4,145	740	3,179	163	3,870
Market and roadside stands.....	128	164	(1)	.1	---	115	16	4	5	1	3
Leased departments—Independent.....	21	167	.1	.1	---	19	18	5	9	1	8
Chains.....	991	60,214	18.1	16.4	13.2	39	9,631	4,133	6,233	819	6,697
Local chains.....	209	6,773	2.0	.2	3.3	27	870	239	599	45	828
Sectional or national chains.....	691	49,655	15.0	16.0	9.4	12	8,217	3,832	5,064	759	5,397
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	51	3,311	1.0	.1	.4	---	450	34	503	8	426
Leased-department chains.....	40	475	.1	.1	.1	---	94	28	67	7	46
Other types.....	164	7,709	2.3	2.6	1.0	49	1,098	244	900	81	803
Utility-operated stores.....	30	1,052	.3	.5	.3	---	264	182	180	66	162
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	30	694	.2	.1	(1)	16	276	9	208	2	70
Commissaries or company stores.....	73	5,749	1.7	1.7	.6	11	526	45	494	12	544
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	4	72	(1)	(1)	---	---	7	1	4	(2)	8
Other types of operation.....	27	142	.1	.3	.1	22	25	7	14	1	19
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	4,165	28,572	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,703	2,328	930	1,220	167	1,557
Independents.....	3,959	20,969	73.4	83.8	72.4	3,692	1,445	442	655	71	1,123
Chains.....	186	7,294	25.5	15.1	26.4	2	871	488	554	96	417
Other types.....	20	309	1.1	1.1	1.2	9	12	---	11	---	17
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,051	42,626	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,803	4,502	1,331	2,633	260	2,259
Independents.....	1,890	32,124	75.4	85.3	81.6	1,795	3,379	815	1,827	147	1,727
Chains.....	156	10,513	24.2	33.6	17.7	4	1,105	513	768	112	517
Other types.....	5	189	.4	1.1	.7	4	18	3	18	1	15
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	105	1,496	100.0	(3)	(3)	80	383	41	240	11	18
Independents.....	95	1,496	100.0	---	---	80	383	41	240	11	18
Chains.....	10	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	102	430	100.0	100.0	(3)	93	85	21	40	4	16
Independents.....	98	403	93.7	85.5	---	92	79	21	35	4	13
Chains.....	2	27	6.3	5.1	---	1	6	---	5	---	3
Other types.....	---	---	---	11.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	57	16,500	100.0	100.0	100.0	15	2,652	927	1,959	214	2,496
Independents.....	20	7,141	43.3	53.5	49.8	11	1,087	191	956	51	1,127
Chains.....	37	9,359	56.7	39.4	38.5	4	1,565	736	1,002	163	1,369
Other types.....	---	---	---	7.1	11.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	200	10,993	100.0	100.0	100.0	87	2,946	1,636	1,259	279	1,744
Independents.....	95	1,541	14.0	15.3	14.9	83	473	265	137	37	365
Chains.....	105	9,452	86.0	84.7	85.1	4	2,473	1,371	1,122	242	1,379
Other types.....	---	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	147	4,668	100.0	100.0	100.0	117	418	67	457	20	1,019
Independents.....	138	4,008	85.9	84.1	98.2	117	375	60	410	17	949
Chains.....	9	660	14.1	15.9	1.8	---	43	7	47	3	70
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	156	4,096	100.0	100.0	100.0	123	649	233	395	37	995
Independents.....	142	3,369	82.3	89.9	82.5	123	520	190	298	28	930
Chains.....	14	727	17.7	41.1	47.5	---	129	43	97	9	65
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	190	5,421	100.0	100.0	100.0	136	693	131	539	34	507
Independents.....	160	3,629	87.0	71.8	76.4	135	505	95	402	23	373
Chains.....	50	1,792	33.0	28.2	22.8	1	188	36	137	11	154
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	87	3,033	100.0	100.0	100.0	34	390	93	349	21	528
Independents.....	51	1,537	50.7	53.5	70.1	32	196	32	195	8	319
Chains.....	27	1,361	44.9	45.1	23.8	---	178	56	155	11	174
Leased departments.....	9	135	4.4	1.6	6.1	2	16	5	19	2	35
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	307	13,006	100.0	100.0	100.0	234	1,602	49	1,619	19	1,691
Independents.....	289	10,553	81.1	86.0	77.1	233	1,316	47	1,423	18	1,447
Chains.....	18	2,453	18.9	14.0	22.2	1	286	2	396	1	244
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	72	2,210	100.0	(3)	(3)	22	449	185	396	67	262
Independents.....	36	869	39.3	---	---	22	110	10	126	5	78
Chains.....	9	1,341	60.7	---	---	---	339	175	270	62	184
Utility-operated stores.....	27	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	32	792	100.0	(3)	(3)	28	112	10	125	5	102
Independents.....	31	792	100.0	---	---	28	112	10	125	5	102
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	18	319	100.0	100.0	99.8	20	64	6	68	2	68
Independents.....	18	319	100.0	100.0	99.8	20	64	6	68	2	68
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	.2	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

SOUTH CAROLINA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	342	\$48,924	100.0	100.0	(3)	219	3,450	49	\$3,938	\$28	\$2,411
Independents.....	337			99.9							
Chains.....	4	48,924	100.0	---		219	3,450	49	3,938	28	2,411
Other types.....	1			.1							
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	166	4,570	100.0	100.0	(3)	117	544	21	575	10	543
Independents.....	148	3,871	84.7	89.4		117	484	17	476	8	452
Chains.....	18	699	15.3	30.6		---	80	4	99	2	91
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	3,214	27,591	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,916	2,999	390	1,731	84	486
Independents.....	3,144	26,204	95.0	83.4	78.9	2,912	2,831	379	1,608	82	446
Chains.....	66	1,313	4.7	16.4	21.1	3	160	10	118	2	38
Other types.....	4	74	.3	.2	---	1	8	1	5	(2)	2
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	175	9,788	100.0	100.0	(3)	137	1,380	181	1,172	70	1,174
Independents.....	174			100.0							
Chains.....	---	9,788	100.0	---		137	1,380	181	1,172	70	1,174
Other types.....	1			---							
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	22	688	100.0	100.0	(3)	12	78	2	89	(2)	149
Independents.....	17	388	56.4	74.5		12	44	2	50	(2)	68
Chains.....	5	300	43.6	25.5		---	34	---	39	---	81
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	194	6,954	100.0	100.0	100.0	146	656	41	648	16	1,917
Independents.....	189			82.0	91.9						
Chains.....	4	6,954	100.0	8.0	3.8	146	656	41	648	16	1,917
Other types.....	1			---	4.3						
Restaurants, other eating places.....	1,595	9,998	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,507	3,044	333	1,242	60	70
Independents.....	1,572	9,558	95.6	97.8	98.5	1,506	2,880	307	1,162	53	60
Chains.....	20	382	3.8	.5	.5	---	150	24	74	6	9
Other types.....	3	58	.6	1.7	---	1	14	2	6	1	1
Drug stores with fountain.....	376	10,474	100.0	100.0	(3)	275	1,663	164	1,298	48	1,393
Independents.....	365	9,208	87.9	---	---	271	1,504	142	1,152	39	1,274
Chains.....	11	1,266	12.1	---	---	4	159	22	146	9	119
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	162	2,342	100.0	100.0	(3)	142	317	44	251	10	370
Independents.....	159	2,158	92.1	---	---	142	302	43	233	10	333
Chains.....	3	184	7.9	99.6	---	---	15	1	18	(2)	37
Other types.....	---	---	---	.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	477	8,242	100.0	100.0	---	310	354	46	300	11	804
Independents.....	445	7,571	91.9	94.9	---	303	316	40	268	10	750
Chains.....	32	671	8.1	5.1	---	7	38	6	82	1	54
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	442	5,267	100.0	100.0	100.0	338	1,098	196	721	41	323
Independents.....	421	3,927	74.6	84.5	95.6	338	884	193	515	40	217
Chains.....	21	1,340	25.4	14.6	---	---	214	3	206	1	106
Other types.....	---	---	---	.9	4.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	125	2,820	100.0	100.0	(3)	76	270	75	176	20	239
Independents.....	96	1,901	67.4	100.0	---	76	177	35	117	13	161
Chains.....	29	919	32.6	---	---	---	93	40	60	7	78
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	242	4,699	100.0	100.0	(3)	208	285	58	216	18	225
Independents.....	237	4,317	91.9	92.7	---	207	263	56	188	18	210
Chains.....	2			.9	---						
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	1	382	8.1	---	---	1	22	2	28	(2)	15
Other types.....	2			6.4	---						
Jewelry stores.....	113	2,555	100.0	100.0	100.0	94	295	26	362	10	741
Independents.....	111			100.0	100.0						
Chains.....	2	2,555	100.0	---	---	94	295	26	362	10	741
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	27	416	100.0	100.0	100.0	17	67	8	53	3	19
Independents.....	19			77.5	49.2						
Chains.....	8	416	100.0	22.5	50.8	17	67	8	53	3	19
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	128	755	100.0	100.0	(3)	124	161	30	108	6	32
Independents.....	127			100.0	---						
Chains.....	---	755	100.0	---	---	124	161	30	108	6	32
Other types.....	1			---	---						
News dealers.....	22	172	100.0	100.0	(3)	16	37	8	16	1	5
Independents.....	18			69.3	---						
Chains.....	4	172	100.0	30.7	---	16	37	8	16	1	5
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	3,009	51,807	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,610	7,148	2,047	4,699	409	8,167

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

SOUTH DAKOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	9,817	\$169,398	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,954	17,307	3,789	\$13,592	\$1,027	\$28,773
Independents.....	8,933	131,558	77.7	79.3	83.9	8,887	12,937	2,296	9,853	618	22,067
Single-store.....	8,601	122,966	72.6	73.7	78.8	8,695	11,910	2,118	8,973	572	20,564
Multiunit.....	275	8,412	5.0	5.3	5.1	120	989	167	859	41	1,497
Market and roadside stands.....	40	39	(1)	.2	—	33	10	3	3	1	—
Leased departments—Independent.....	17	139	.1	.1	(1)	19	28	6	18	2	6
Chains.....	576	32,422	19.1	18.6	14.0	4	3,668	1,321	3,122	358	5,818
Local chains.....	57	3,325	2.0	.5	3.5	3	320	96	307	14	348
Sectional or national chains.....	471	26,829	15.8	17.9	10.5	1	3,113	1,196	2,540	333	5,203
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	34	2,060	1.2	.1	.1	—	192	16	246	8	261
Leased-department chains.....	14	208	.1	.1	—	—	41	13	29	3	22
Other types.....	308	5,416	3.2	2.1	2.1	83	704	172	617	53	888
Utility-operated stores.....	50	787	.4	.5	.6	—	128	58	112	25	196
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	79	335	.2	.2	.1	74	54	10	64	3	39
Commissaries or company stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Other types."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	86	2,681	1.6	1.1	1.2	—	286	75	232	18	365
Other types of operation.....	93	1,613	1.0	.3	.2	9	238	29	209	7	288
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	645	7,013	100.0	100.0	100.0	607	508	212	271	40	1,047
Independents.....	607	5,495	78.3	68.6	79.3	605	356	138	163	21	943
Chains.....	34	1,479	21.1	31.4	20.7	—	138	64	103	18	102
Other types.....	4	39	.6	—	—	2	14	10	5	1	2
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	948	22,578	100.0	100.0	100.0	905	1,688	425	1,268	96	2,050
Independents.....	888	17,028	75.4	82.1	92.0	904	1,241	273	846	58	1,768
Chains.....	54	5,333	23.6	17.9	7.2	1	417	141	407	37	261
Other types.....	6	217	1.0	—	.8	—	30	11	15	1	21
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	128	925	100.0	(2)	(2)	126	186	35	147	10	18
Independents.....	126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	925	100.0	—	—	126	186	35	147	10	16
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	92	414	100.0	100.0	(2)	91	52	9	21	2	42
Independents.....	88	374	90.3	100.0	—	89	48	9	20	2	39
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	4	40	9.7	—	—	2	4	—	1	—	3
Department stores.....	29	8,170	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	1,053	269	937	75	1,306
Independents.....	5	1,759	21.5	32.5	41.2	4	350	51	304	16	307
Chains.....	24	6,411	78.5	67.5	58.8	—	703	218	633	59	999
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	96	3,244	100.0	100.0	100.0	69	699	379	370	113	590
Independents.....	72	906	27.9	25.5	24.9	69	154	49	72	10	274
Chains.....	24	2,338	72.1	74.5	75.1	—	545	330	298	103	316
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	87	2,147	100.0	100.0	100.0	75	183	23	239	7	831
Independents.....	84	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	3	2,147	100.0	100.0	86.0	75	183	23	239	7	831
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	14.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	32	470	100.0	100.0	100.0	35	54	18	43	4	187
Independents.....	27	403	85.7	—	71.0	32	44	14	33	3	177
Chains.....	2	—	—	—	29.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	3	67	14.3	—	—	3	10	2	10	1	10
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	121	2,554	100.0	100.0	100.0	94	391	91	322	23	487
Independents.....	106	2,125	83.2	95.0	71.6	93	297	53	260	15	429
Chains.....	15	429	16.8	5.0	27.3	1	94	38	62	8	58
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	62	1,111	100.0	100.0	100.0	48	131	23	138	4	412
Independents.....	54	928	83.5	71.9	79.9	48	104	14	118	2	384
Chains.....	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leased departments.....	5	185	16.7	14.6	7.4	—	27	9	20	2	28
Other types.....	—	—	—	13.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	85	1,827	100.0	100.0	100.0	86	167	25	191	9	577
Independents.....	85	1,827	100.0	100.0	99.3	86	167	25	191	9	577
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	83	1,315	100.0	(2)	(2)	32	208	68	203	29	291
Independents.....	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	6	550	41.8	—	—	32	87	10	93	4	113
Utility-operated stores.....	48	765	58.2	—	—	—	121	58	110	25	178
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	35	443	100.0	(2)	(2)	33	57	10	50	4	92
Independents.....	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	443	100.0	—	—	33	57	10	50	4	92
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	15	79	100.0	100.0	(2)	15	7	1	4	(3)	15
Independents.....	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	79	100.0	—	—	15	7	1	4	(3)	15
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

SOUTH DAKOTA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	300	\$23,783	100.0	100.0	(2)	280	1,611	69	\$1,824	\$31	\$2,878
Independents	300	23,783	100.0	100.0		280	1,611	69	1,824	31	2,878
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	136	2,203	100.0	100.0	(2)	123	225	28	217	9	377
Independents	127	1,509	88.5	89.5		123	180	25	127	8	320
Chains	9	694	31.5	40.5		—	65	3	90	1	57
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations	2,030	20,173	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,962	1,441	295	1,036	75	1,126
Independents	1,949	18,088	89.7	81.3	74.3	1,961	1,240	285	831	73	1,008
Chains	42	665	3.3	12.5	25.7	—	77	3	78	(3)	19
Other types	39	1,410	7.0	6.2	—	1	124	7	127	2	98
Lumber, building-materials dealers	367	10,476	100.0	100.0	(2)	68	1,000	311	974	82	3,794
Independents	136	3,611	34.5	32.8		68	327	64	356	25	1,218
Chains	225	6,821	65.2	67.0		—	657	242	596	51	2,517
Other types	6	244	2.3	.2		—	16	5	22	6	59
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	18	205	100.0	100.0	(2)	22	16	3	15	2	80
Independents	18	205	100.0	100.0		22	16	3	15	2	80
Chains	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores	398	4,585	100.0	100.0	100.0	404	354	66	293	28	2,036
Independents	381	4,396	95.9	98.5		404	345	65	278	27	1,989
Chains	7	189	4.1	1.0	100.0	—	11	1	15	1	47
Other types	—	—	—	.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places	860	6,368	100.0	100.0	100.0	877	2,109	241	929	47	116
Independents	852	6,308	99.1	99.1	98.6	875	2,083	238	917	47	115
Chains	5	60	.9	.7	.9	2	26	3	12	(3)	1
Other types	3	—	.2	.5		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores with fountain	233	4,856	100.0	100.0	(2)	226	473	71	420	22	1,515
Independents	232	4,856	100.0	97.7		226	473	71	420	22	1,515
Chains	1	—	—	2.3		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other	97	1,170	100.0	100.0	(2)	95	86	18	76	7	462
Independents	96	1,170	100.0	100.0		95	86	18	76	7	462
Chains	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	251	3,121	100.0	100.0	—	161	244	44	173	9	286
Independents	175	2,095	67.1	75.5	—	161	135	25	88	6	212
Chains	76	1,026	32.9	24.5	—	—	109	19	85	3	74
Municipal liquor stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	129	1,646	100.0	100.0	100.0	106	204	47	188	20	189
Independents	125	1,646	100.0	99.0	98.4	106	204	47	188	20	189
Chains	1	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	3	—	—	1.0	.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores	80	2,314	100.0	100.0	(2)	47	150	38	133	10	364
Independents	57	1,085	47.3	63.5		47	74	13	69	5	146
Chains	10	1,219	52.7	32.9		—	76	25	64	5	218
Farmers' cooperative stores	13	—	—	3.6		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores	25	928	100.0	100.0	(2)	22	146	22	136	8	345
Independents	23	928	100.0	79.5		22	146	22	136	8	345
Chains	1	—	—	8.6		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores	1	—	—	11.8		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	1	—	—	.1		—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores	63	793	100.0	100.0	100.0	60	65	5	93	3	338
Independents	63	793	100.0	100.0	100.0	60	65	5	93	3	338
Chains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands	24	321	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	19	3	17	1	27
Independents	23	321	100.0	73.3	97.2	21	19	3	17	1	27
Chains	1	—	—	26.7	2.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists	35	244	100.0	100.0	(2)	33	49	5	42	2	19
Independents	35	244	100.0	100.0		33	49	5	42	2	19
Chains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers	8	47	100.0	100.0	(2)	9	8	5	2	1	10
Independents	8	47	100.0	99.0		9	8	5	2	1	10
Chains	—	—	—	1.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business	2,315	33,873	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,218	3,723	932	2,820	254	6,888

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

TENNESSEE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	28,198	\$606,489	100.0	100.0	100.0	25,980	71,869	13,192	\$55,924	\$3,375	\$75,781
Independents	26,167	473,446	78.1	76.0	80.9	25,782	53,728	7,675	41,452	2,008	61,106
Single-store	24,504	422,435	69.7	68.5	73.9	24,791	46,837	6,653	35,794	1,747	54,224
Multiunit	1,363	48,156	7.9	7.3	7.0	890	6,549	948	5,407	242	6,821
Market and roadside stands	215	1,010	.2	.5	(1)	218	133	33	72	6	9
Leased departments—Independent	85	1,845	.3	.1	(1)	73	209	41	179	11	252
Chains	1,690	123,064	20.3	22.1	15.4	64	16,640	5,279	13,009	1,314	13,859
Local chains	252	8,497	1.4	2.6	2.5	37	1,202	280	878	54	880
Sectional or national chains	1,224	104,309	17.2	18.8	11.6	22	13,948	4,827	10,493	1,207	11,876
Manufacturer-controlled chains	116	7,306	1.2	.3	.7	2	980	46	1,212	15	892
Leased-department chains	98	2,952	.5	.4	.6	3	510	126	428	38	231
Other types	341	9,979	1.6	1.9	3.7	154	1,501	238	1,463	55	799
Utility-operated stores	73	1,064	.2	.7	.4	1	313	73	293	10	135
Direct selling (house-to-house)	106	2,064	.3	.3	.2	74	577	71	520	14	85
Commissaries or company stores	54	3,463	.6	.8	.5	4	290	21	322	12	371
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores	20	366	(1)	(1)	.1	—	38	3	28	(3)	27
Other types of operation	88	3,022	.5	.1	2.5	75	313	70	300	19	178
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	5,634	39,450	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,252	2,403	966	1,195	175	3,826
Independents	5,390	31,217	79.1	77.3	73.0	5,229	1,412	380	620	62	3,332
Chains	217	8,041	20.4	22.2	28.6	1	978	584	568	113	487
Other types	27	192	.5	.5	.4	22	13	2	7	(3)	7
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	3,336	83,800	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,095	7,836	2,140	5,186	438	4,807
Independents	2,947	61,311	73.2	64.0	65.0	3,087	5,524	1,222	3,390	240	3,834
Chains	379	22,229	26.5	35.8	35.0	8	2,289	918	1,770	198	953
Other types	10	260	.3	.4	—	—	23	—	26	—	20
Dairy products, milk dealers	109	3,406	100.0	(4)	(4)	78	623	20	873	5	45
Independents	91	3,277	96.2	—	—	77	597	19	657	4	44
Chains	15	129	3.8	—	—	1	28	1	16	1	1
Other types	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	185	1,151	100.0	100.0	(4)	174	204	45	113	13	51
Independents	154	978	85.0	86.5	—	156	173	38	92	12	40
Chains	14	159	13.8	10.2	—	1	31	7	21	1	11
Other types	17	14	1.2	3.3	—	17	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores	66	63,685	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	8,931	1,495	8,129	506	9,723
Independents	26	29,253	45.9	53.8	51.9	8	5,298	653	4,760	238	4,871
Chains and mail-order	40	34,432	54.1	46.2	48.1	—	3,633	832	3,369	270	5,052
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores	319	14,309	100.0	100.0	100.0	179	3,344	1,687	1,574	398	2,198
Independents	197	2,131	14.9	9.1	5.9	173	450	202	148	26	572
Chains	122	12,178	85.1	90.9	94.1	8	2,894	1,485	1,426	372	1,626
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	222	9,638	100.0	100.0	100.0	184	955	117	1,092	37	2,538
Independents	182	7,554	78.4	88.6	86.7	178	744	91	868	26	2,137
Chains	38	1,952	20.3	11.4	13.0	5	199	24	217	10	373
Other types	4	132	1.3	—	.3	8	12	2	7	1	26
Family clothing stores	274	8,057	100.0	100.0	100.0	242	1,089	350	789	64	2,101
Independents	243	6,852	82.6	81.4	70.4	240	828	270	573	49	1,955
Chains	31	1,405	17.4	18.6	29.6	2	241	80	196	15	148
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores	256	12,530	100.0	100.0	100.0	189	1,758	316	1,470	83	1,412
Independents	198	8,073	64.4	63.8	77.9	186	1,166	154	1,029	44	1,085
Chains	55	4,449	35.5	38.2	18.0	3	589	161	439	39	327
Other types	3	8	.1	—	6.1	—	3	1	2	(3)	—
Shoe stores (all kinds)	205	7,930	100.0	100.0	100.0	80	997	375	871	87	1,452
Independents	91	2,193	27.8	39.3	47.6	68	281	60	251	12	638
Chains	78	4,169	52.6	45.5	38.9	1	544	268	453	62	563
Leased departments	36	1,568	19.8	15.2	13.5	11	172	47	167	13	251
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores	433	19,602	100.0	100.0	100.0	410	2,267	98	2,852	37	3,821
Independents	415	16,499	84.2	87.4	76.4	410	1,920	93	2,198	35	3,083
Chains	18	3,103	15.8	12.8	21.0	—	347	5	454	2	538
Other types	—	—	—	—	2.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers	158	3,434	100.0	(4)	(4)	60	716	114	741	30	409
Independents	65	1,644	47.9	—	—	59	226	41	224	20	158
Chains	20	726	21.1	—	—	—	177	—	224	—	116
Utility-operated stores	73	1,064	31.0	—	—	1	313	73	293	10	135
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers	70	1,984	100.0	(4)	(4)	58	269	16	253	4	288
Independents	64	1,984	100.0	—	—	58	269	16	253	4	286
Chains	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other	26	222	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	33	4	27	2	30
Independents	28	222	100.0	78.8	86.1	27	33	4	27	2	30
Chains	—	—	—	21.2	13.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

TENNESSEE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	428	\$75,800	100.0	100.0	(4)	374	5,050	102	\$6,035	\$61	\$8,554
Independents	428	75,800	100.0	96.9		374	5,050	102	6,035	61	8,554
Chains	---	---	---	3.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	236	10,021	100.0	100.0	(4)	180	1,232	47	1,371	17	1,223
Independents	187	5,657	56.5	49.5		180	772	37	760	13	828
Chains	49	4,364	43.5	50.5		---	460	10	591	4	395
Other types	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations	3,422	43,957	100.0	100.0		3,272	4,164	455	2,738	105	1,569
Independents	3,303	40,514	92.2	88.9	81.7	3,266	3,827	438	2,461	101	1,471
Chains	119	3,443	7.8	16.0	18.3	6	337	17	277	4	98
Other types	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers	314	19,255	100.0	100.0	(4)	265	2,355	491	2,393	220	3,445
Independents	313	19,255	100.0	88.9		265	2,355	491	2,393	220	3,445
Chains	1	---	---	11.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	55	1,698	100.0	100.0	(4)	46	226	13	301	13	444
Independents	45	1,214	64.5	73.7		46	159	13	204	13	261
Chains	10	674	35.7	26.3		---	67	---	97	---	183
Other types	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores	324	12,292	100.0	100.0		317	1,082	86	1,172	23	3,426
Independents	319	12,292	100.0	99.7	75.9	317	1,082	86	1,172	23	3,426
Chains	4	---	---	.3	24.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places	3,244	27,718	100.0	100.0		3,106	8,423	1,012	3,803	205	251
Independents	3,142	24,975	90.1	86.1	93.2	3,100	7,461	752	3,241	138	211
Chains	91	2,503	9.0	12.8	6.8	5	856	210	511	60	35
Other types	11	240	.9	1.1	---	1	108	50	51	7	5
Drug stores with fountain	693	20,525	100.0	100.0	(4)	640	3,342	437	2,390	127	3,458
Independents	661	17,056	83.1	82.2		638	2,778	383	1,927	105	3,068
Chains	32	3,469	16.9	17.7		2	564	54	463	22	390
Other types	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other	231	3,439	100.0	100.0	(4)	212	473	88	335	24	668
Independents	226	3,439	100.0	92.2		212	473	88	335	24	668
Chains	5	---	---	7.8		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	284	4,107	100.0	---	---	273	177	25	147	7	710
Independents	284	4,107	100.0	---	---	273	177	25	147	7	710
Chains	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	761	11,493	100.0	100.0		690	2,132	413	1,412	154	859
Independents	715	9,201	80.0	91.7	85.6	680	1,647	354	1,081	134	693
Chains	46	2,292	20.0	8.0	---	---	485	59	331	20	166
Other types	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores	244	7,609	100.0	100.0	(4)	215	513	82	377	22	745
Independents	228	6,534	85.9	80.2		215	444	72	310	17	640
Chains	15	1,043	13.7	17.0		---	68	10	64	5	102
Farmers' cooperative stores	3	32	.4	2.7		---	3	---	3	---	3
Other types	---	---	---	.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores	83	2,451	100.0	100.0	(4)	76	192	39	162	17	265
Independents	73	1,943	79.3	98.1		76	165	37	138	17	213
Chains	4	310	12.6	---		---	14	---	15	---	38
Farmers' cooperative stores	8	198	8.1	1.9		---	13	2	9	(3)	14
Other types	---	---	---	(1)		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores	151	5,433	100.0	100.0		130	572	44	795	19	2,331
Independents	146	5,243	98.5	96.4	93.0	130	551	44	766	19	2,259
Chains	5	190	3.5	3.6	7.0	---	21	---	29	---	72
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands	63	817	100.0	100.0		56	99	5	70	1	39
Independents	58	817	100.0	60.2	47.1	56	99	5	70	1	39
Chains	5	---	---	39.8	52.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists	174	2,217	100.0	100.0	(4)	178	434	68	361	16	166
Independents	174	2,217	100.0	99.0		178	434	68	361	16	166
Chains	---	---	---	1.0		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers	31	368	100.0	100.0	(4)	22	50	4	31	1	14
Independents	26	368	100.0	73.8		22	50	4	31	1	14
Chains	5	---	---	26.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business	6,169	87,901	100.0	100.0		5,904	9,948	2,038	7,286	486	17,09

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Less than \$500.

4 Comparable date not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

TEXAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	85,249	\$1,805,716	100.0	100.0	100.0	79,648	209,841	34,537	\$171,890	\$9,066	\$255,126
Independents.....	79,453	1,402,856	77.8	78.8	81.4	79,222	159,645	21,102	127,836	5,497	180,426
Single-store.....	74,596	1,220,603	87.7	70.0	72.9	78,451	137,223	18,278	107,734	4,890	155,895
Multiunit.....	4,095	171,727	9.5	8.3	8.4	2,087	20,614	2,634	18,598	759	25,794
Market and roadside stands.....	458	2,913	.2	.2	(1)	416	740	51	426	12	30
Leased departments—Independent.....	306	7,613	.4	.1	.1	268	868	139	880	36	907
Chains.....	4,910	377,974	20.9	20.1	18.7	205	46,418	12,108	41,022	3,164	51,983
Local chains.....	1,187	83,696	4.8	5.3	7.8	134	8,843	1,245	8,305	286	7,775
Sectional or national chains #.....	3,044	267,227	14.8	16.1	8.3	84	35,598	10,313	28,159	2,891	40,952
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	480	20,803	1.2	.3	.5	2	2,993	373	3,853	135	2,845
Leased-department chains.....	199	6,248	.3	.4	.3	5	984	177	905	52	593
Other types.....	886	22,886	1.3	1.3	1.9	221	5,778	1,327	5,030	405	2,737
Utility-operated stores.....	424	6,570	.4	.8	.3	5	1,456	995	922	309	1,217
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	210	4,044	.2	.2	.2	120	1,264	173	1,158	8	221
Commissaries or company stores.....	73	4,587	.3	.2	.2	9	370	43	356	8	648
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	92	5,155	.3	.2	.1	—	435	106	370	33	500
Other types of operation.....	87	2,530	.1	.1	1.1	87	253	10	224	5	151
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	11,118	80,385	100.0	100.0	100.0	10,805	4,688	1,483	2,595	255	6,559
Independents.....	10,884	70,872	87.9	89.2	82.2	10,794	3,784	1,201	1,817	199	5,998
Chains.....	210	9,158	11.4	10.5	17.5	—	803	274	884	56	527
Other types.....	22	555	.7	.3	.5	11	99	8	94	(3)	34
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	10,129	288,455	100.0	100.0	100.0	10,000	21,589	5,287	18,561	1,113	17,647
Independents.....	9,465	208,914	72.4	71.9	69.5	9,968	15,081	5,074	10,420	579	15,759
Chains.....	651	79,020	27.4	28.1	30.0	30	8,456	2,206	6,118	531	4,052
Other types.....	13	501	.2	(1)	.5	2	32	7	25	3	56
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	371	11,940	100.0	(4)	(4)	155	2,401	289	2,489	97	159
Independents.....	171	7,062	59.1	—	—	153	1,247	52	1,424	12	108
Chains.....	200	4,878	40.9	—	—	2	1,154	237	1,065	85	51
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	854	2,884	100.0	100.0	(4)	822	460	153	234	30	108
Independents.....	621	2,392	89.1	92.1	—	806	387	102	178	20	99
Chains.....	18	266	9.9	4.6	—	—	86	30	57	10	9
Other types.....	15	28	1.0	3.3	—	18	7	1	1	(3)	—
Department stores.....	237	146,900	100.0	100.0	100.0	53	19,302	3,910	19,304	1,413	24,850
Independents.....	77	69,364	47.2	47.8	81.8	49	10,176	1,474	10,830	651	11,349
Chains and mail-order.....	180	77,536	52.8	52.1	38.4	4	9,126	2,436	8,474	782	13,501
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	1,072	41,332	100.0	100.0	100.0	639	9,935	4,884	4,672	1,041	7,418
Independents.....	678	7,926	19.2	13.0	13.9	626	1,710	745	628	108	2,251
Chains.....	394	33,406	80.8	88.9	88.1	13	8,225	4,119	4,044	933	5,187
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	587	24,109	100.0	100.0	100.0	527	2,310	241	2,849	78	7,519
Independents.....	543	20,781	86.0	90.3	87.8	528	2,045	220	2,505	64	8,994
Chains.....	44	3,378	14.0	9.7	12.2	1	285	21	344	14	525
Other types.....	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	509	25,828	100.0	100.0	100.0	455	3,218	674	2,985	128	8,628
Independents.....	451	20,823	87.4	89.8	74.8	429	2,712	528	2,571	98	6,013
Chains.....	58	5,005	12.6	10.2	25.2	6	506	146	414	28	813
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	822	32,507	100.0	100.0	100.0	838	4,441	740	5,775	205	4,533
Independents.....	680	23,048	70.9	75.3	87.5	655	3,208	439	2,898	113	3,778
Chains.....	139	9,429	29.0	24.7	28.8	3	1,226	301	868	92	757
Other types.....	5	30	.1	—	5.9	—	7	—	9	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	458	19,320	100.0	100.0	100.0	215	2,131	525	2,250	152	3,800
Independents.....	225	8,138	51.8	40.8	48.1	197	881	99	753	28	1,873
Chains.....	142	9,418	48.7	44.4	41.9	1	1,047	363	997	105	1,595
Leased departments.....	91	5,786	19.5	14.7	10.0	15	403	63	520	19	732
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	1,057	44,295	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,018	5,315	252	8,102	89	9,921
Independents.....	1,012	36,471	88.9	84.1	79.9	1,017	4,548	251	5,133	89	8,732
Chains.....	46	5,824	13.1	15.9	14.9	1	769	1	969	(3)	1,189
Other types.....	—	—	—	5.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	689	14,268	100.0	(4)	(4)	191	2,711	1,082	2,585	351	2,415
Independents.....	203	4,922	34.5	—	—	189	840	79	681	35	850
Chains.....	68	2,848	20.0	—	—	—	830	18	988	9	576
Utility-operated stores.....	413	8,372	44.8	—	—	—	1,418	987	889	307	1,181
Other types.....	5	126	.9	—	—	2	23	—	27	—	8
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	219	4,730	100.0	(4)	(4)	212	594	49	825	21	729
Independents.....	215	4,536	95.9	—	—	212	568	49	590	21	703
Chains.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	2	194	4.1	—	—	—	28	—	35	—	26
Radio stores—other.....	94	1,881	100.0	100.0	100.0	94	250	12	283	3	352
Independents.....	90	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	4	1,681	100.0	—	—	94	250	12	283	3	352
Other types.....	—	—	—	8.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

TEXAS

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	1,672	\$258,099	100.0	100.0	(+)	1,529	18,182	399	\$21,829	\$211	\$23,423
Independents.....	1,642	246,763	95.6	96.8		1,513	17,443	399	20,780	211	22,565
Chains.....	50	11,336	4.4	3.2		16	739	---	1,049	---	858
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	1,300	40,032	100.0	100.0	(+)	1,069	4,720	246	5,159	96	5,618
Independents.....	1,047	23,804	59.0	51.1		1,060	2,896	158	2,963	64	3,701
Chains.....	253	16,428	41.0	48.9		9	1,824	88	2,196	32	1,915
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	15,738	150,127	100.0	100.0		15,378	16,627	2,082	10,886	503	4,390
Independents.....	15,195	135,627	90.3	86.8	69.1	15,547	15,010	2,041	9,674	488	3,891
Chains.....	501	12,163	8.1	12.8	26.4	27	1,449	28	1,056	11	303
Other types.....	42	2,337	1.6	.6	4.5	4	168	13	156	4	196
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	2,032	103,068	100.0	100.0	(+)	950	8,539	1,263	9,805	457	23,263
Independents.....	1,201	64,565	62.5	59.5		929	5,370	790	6,514	340	12,002
Chains.....	825	38,458	37.3	40.5		21	3,143	463	3,476	117	11,186
Other types.....	6	247	.2	---	---	---	26	10	15	(3)	95
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	259	7,597	100.0	100.0	(+)	185	809	38	1,006	13	1,719
Independents.....	202	4,506	59.3	50.4		184	505	33	591	12	1,025
Chains.....	57	3,091	40.7	49.6		1	304	5	415	1	694
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	906	22,592	100.0	100.0	100.0	891	2,184	226	2,181	72	8,057
Independents.....	887	20,971	92.8	99.2	95.9	887	2,021	214	1,996	68	7,674
Chains.....	14	1,204	5.3	.8	.6	2	156	1	156	3	272
Other types.....	5	417	1.9	---	3.5	2	29	3	29	1	111
Restaurants, other eating places.....	11,812	92,886	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,935	29,227	2,510	14,073	609	598
Independents.....	11,889	89,136	96.0	94.3	97.6	11,920	27,973	2,320	13,223	571	560
Chains.....	104	3,568	3.8	5.3	2.2	3	1,196	186	815	38	38
Other types.....	19	184	.2	.4	.2	12	58	4	35	(3)	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	2,218	72,831	100.0	100.0	(+)	2,009	10,578	994	8,507	289	13,081
Independents.....	2,040	56,673	77.8	78.7		2,002	8,153	860	6,540	238	11,303
Chains.....	174	16,022	22.0	21.2		5	2,401	130	2,150	51	1,714
Other types.....	4	136	.2	.1		2	24	4	17	(3)	14
Drug stores, other.....	1,101	13,069	100.0	100.0	(+)	1,054	1,597	273	1,192	68	3,306
Independents.....	1,088	12,399	94.9	98.3		1,053	1,533	273	1,128	68	3,199
Chains.....	13	670	5.1	1.7		1	64	---	64	---	107
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	1,249	17,652	100.0	100.0	---	983	984	93	769	26	2,731
Independents.....	1,186	15,517	87.9	90.5	---	973	843	88	624	24	2,353
Chains.....	63	2,135	12.1	9.5	---	10	141	5	145	2	378
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	1,012	5,999	100.0	100.0	100.0	899	948	147	817	49	158
Independents.....	940	4,250	70.5	74.6	54.8	897	699	136	517	45	119
Chains.....	66	1,716	28.6	20.5	35.7	2	249	5	296	2	38
Other types.....	6	53	.9	4.9	9.5	---	10	6	4	2	1
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	1,198	28,053	100.0	100.0	(+)	1,151	1,889	363	1,292	99	1,684
Independents.....	1,154	24,415	93.7	93.5		1,151	1,731	338	1,198	91	1,582
Chains.....	19	731	2.8	5.1		---	72	11	62	2	56
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	25	907	3.5	1.4		---	86	14	72	6	48
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	144	2,220	100.0	100.0	(+)	131	313	65	243	15	380
Independents.....	135	1,868	84.1	96.7		129	240	63	191	15	374
Chains.....	4	---	---	1.8		---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	3	352	15.9	1.2		2	73	2	52	(3)	6
Other types.....	2	---	---	.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	586	16,251	100.0	100.0	100.0	523	1,697	99	2,458	41	7,171
Independents.....	547	14,143	87.0	98.8	99.0	519	1,514	88	2,131	34	6,675
Chains.....	19	2,108	13.0	1.4	.9	4	183	11	327	7	496
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1		---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	232	2,843	100.0	100.0	100.0	170	313	73	209	24	159
Independents.....	177	1,733	61.0	63.0	56.0	167	157	21	99	4	86
Chains.....	55	1,110	39.0	37.0	33.3	3	156	52	110	20	73
Other types.....	---	---	---	10.7		---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	718	4,989	100.0	100.0	(+)	760	993	177	679	43	400
Independents.....	717	---	---	94.8		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	---	4,989	100.0	5.2		760	993	177	679	43	400
Other types.....	1	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	215	1,390	100.0	100.0	(+)	209	183	54	92	11	92
Independents.....	207	1,305	93.9	82.3		209	157	49	72	9	85
Chains.....	8	85	6.1	17.7		---	26	5	20	2	7
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	14,863	229,604	100.0	100.0	100.0	14,220	30,735	5,894	23,204	1,466	46,132

* Employee and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Two mail-order houses, classified as department stores, are combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Less than \$500.

4 Comparable data not available.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

UTAH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	6,372	\$170,728	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,520	19,562	4,302	\$18,743	\$1,571	\$18,711
Independents.....	5,637	121,415	71.1	73.3	80.3	5,397	13,344	2,449	12,872	905	13,252
Single-store.....	5,228	104,507	61.2	65.0	68.7	5,184	11,117	2,025	10,618	739	11,275
Multiunit.....	328	16,157	9.5	8.1	11.6	141	2,135	397	2,180	158	1,913
Market and roadside stands.....	47	173	.1	.1	(1)	42	36	16	15	3	3
Leased departments—-independent.....	34	578	.3	.1	(1)	30	56	11	59	5	61
Chains.....	457	41,454	24.3	23.1	17.7	12	5,493	1,768	5,015	654	4,854
Local chains.....	73	5,286	3.1	1.8	4.8	11	612	195	617	77	400
Sectional or national chains.....	323	33,688	19.7	20.5	12.1	1	4,515	1,530	3,960	540	4,180
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	40	1,880	1.1	.3	.6	—	265	20	362	12	239
Leased-department chains.....	21	600	.4	.5	.2	—	101	23	76	5	35
Other types.....	278	7,859	4.6	3.6	2.0	111	725	85	656	32	605
Utility-operated stores.....	43	1,085	.6	.7	.9	4	145	40	188	18	127
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	61	840	.5	.4	.1	51	202	23	227	3	59
Commissaries or company stores.....	7	490	.3	.2	.2	—	44	14	51	9	69
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	15	656	.4	.4	.2	—	68	5	55	1	55
Other types of operation.....	152	4,788	2.8	1.9	.6	56	266	3	335	1	295
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	438	4,240	100.0	100.0	100.0	424	223	78	167	18	341
Independents.....	421	3,652	86.1	77.8	77.3	416	188	67	128	15	297
Chains.....	9	588	13.9	22.1	22.7	8	35	11	39	3	44
Other types.....	8	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	632	23,703	100.0	100.0	100.0	561	1,771	621	1,609	173	1,412
Independents.....	562	14,914	62.9	66.6	71.9	559	1,022	254	892	73	997
Chains.....	70	8,789	37.1	33.4	27.8	2	749	367	717	100	415
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	110	2,081	100.0	(2)	(2)	106	290	70	316	24	38
Independents.....	109	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	2,081	100.0	—	—	106	290	70	316	24	38
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	158	1,059	100.0	100.0	(2)	149	194	56	107	11	51
Independents.....	151	—	—	69.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	7	1,059	100.0	30.8	—	149	194	56	107	11	51
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	36	18,636	100.0	100.0	100.0	—	3,135	831	2,698	338	2,617
Independents.....	8	5,565	29.9	40.8	69.7	—	1,186	196	1,024	82	782
Chains.....	28	13,071	70.1	59.2	30.3	—	1,949	635	1,674	256	1,835
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	45	3,713	100.0	100.0	100.0	18	774	421	440	136	540
Independents.....	25	311	8.4	5.0	3.2	18	57	16	32	3	70
Chains.....	20	3,402	91.6	95.0	96.8	—	717	403	408	133	470
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	68	2,282	100.0	100.0	100.0	55	202	44	244	18	700
Independents.....	64	2,003	87.8	88.2	92.1	55	179	42	215	17	637
Chains.....	4	279	12.2	11.8	7.9	—	23	2	29	1	63
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	30	1,538	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	197	48	231	22	369
Independents.....	29	—	—	100.0	61.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	1,538	100.0	—	38.2	21	197	48	231	22	369
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	121	3,285	100.0	100.0	100.0	96	441	72	389	22	400
Independents.....	105	2,204	67.1	68.0	77.3	96	327	44	301	14	324
Chains.....	16	1,081	32.9	32.0	15.6	—	114	28	88	8	76
Other types.....	—	—	—	7.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	40	2,044	100.0	100.0	100.0	27	223	58	236	23	376
Independents.....	29	1,100	53.8	50.9	81.5	27	131	23	130	10	248
Chains.....	7	715	35.0	—	17.1	—	67	31	77	12	111
Leased departments.....	4	229	11.2	49.1	1.4	—	25	4	29	1	17
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	81	6,256	100.0	100.0	100.0	46	651	36	970	27	1,247
Independents.....	66	5,062	80.9	81.6	92.4	46	485	28	755	14	1,001
Chains.....	15	1,194	19.1	18.4	7.6	—	166	8	215	13	246
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	70	1,275	100.0	(2)	(2)	26	225	16	325	6	235
Independents.....	25	351	27.6	—	—	26	64	8	75	4	52
Chains.....	10	388	30.4	—	—	—	75	1	118	(5)	70
Utility-operated stores.....	34	—	42.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	1	536	—	—	—	—	86	7	132	2	113
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	40	842	100.0	(2)	(2)	34	103	24	121	10	127
Independents.....	40	842	100.0	—	—	34	103	24	121	10	127
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	7	94	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	11	1	13	1	16
Independents.....	7	94	100.0	100.0	99.9	8	11	1	13	1	16
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
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UTAH

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	163	\$22,326	100.0	100.0	(2)	128	1,623	68	\$2,048	\$32	\$1,891
Independents.....	162										
Chains.....	1	22,326	100.0			128	1,623	68	2,048	32	1,891
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	59	2,278	100.0	100.0	(2)	49	244	20	295	11	250
Independents.....	46	1,105	48.5	48.6		49	112	8	134	4	131
Chains.....	13	1,173	51.5	51.4			132	12	161	7	119
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	1,184	16,132	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,127	1,326	312	1,112	109	394
Independents.....	1,118	14,479	89.8	97.2	70.7	1,125	1,112	296	870	101	339
Chains.....	61	1,536	9.5			1	204	15	233	8	50
Other types.....	5	117	.7	2.8	29.3	1	10	1	9	(3)	5
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	134	7,653	100.0	100.0	(2)	58	895	124	895	53	1,163
Independents.....	108	6,200	81.0	74.2		58	562	89	731	40	873
Chains.....	28	1,453	19.0	25.5			133	35	164	13	290
Other types.....				.3							
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	28	738	100.0	100.0	(2)	17	85	6	110	2	177
Independents.....	22	487	66.0	93.8		17	54	4	71	1	87
Chains.....	6	251	34.0	6.4			31	2	39	1	90
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	48	886	100.0	100.0	100.0	33	104	30	92	6	287
Independents.....	41			85.2	88.9						
Chains.....	7	886	100.0	14.8	11.1	33	104	30	92	6	287
Other types.....											
Restaurants, other eating places.....	666	7,499	100.0	100.0	100.0	682	2,303	384	1,545	133	156
Independents.....	637	6,754	90.1	86.4	97.2	656	2,031	358	1,366	129	152
Chains.....	29	745	9.9	13.1	2.8	8	272	28	179	4	4
Other types.....				.5							
Drug stores with fountain.....	151	4,787	100.0	100.0	(2)	114	679	163	574	62	736
Independents.....	135	3,203	67.2	57.2		113	468	103	368	28	585
Chains.....	16	1,584	32.8	42.8		1	211	80	206	34	151
Other types.....											
Drug stores, other.....	43	1,854	100.0	100.0	(2)	37	133	25	179	9	290
Independents.....	40			97.6							
Chains.....	2	1,854	100.0	2.4		37	133	25	179	9	290
Other types.....	1										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	95	3,959	100.0	100.0			182		246		216
Independents.....				.9							
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....	95	3,959	100.0	99.1			182		246		216
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	330	3,107	100.0	100.0	100.0	307	488	141	466	79	148
Independents.....	323	2,915	93.8	96.6	99.2	303	442	121	431	68	130
Chains.....											
Other types.....	7	192	6.2	3.4	.8	4	46	20	35	11	18
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	65	2,045	100.0	100.0	(2)	63	103	20	93	10	70
Independents.....	63			88.4							
Chains.....		2,045	100.0			63	103	20	93	10	70
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	2			13.6							
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....	13	166	100.0	100.0	(2)	8	37		38		55
Independents.....	13	166	100.0	88.1		8	37		38		55
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperative stores.....				13.9							
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	64	1,434	100.0	100.0	100.0	54	149	9	255	6	553
Independents.....	63										
Chains.....	1	1,434	100.0			54	149	9	255	8	553
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	29	438	100.0	100.0	100.0	17	68	10	54	4	32
Independents.....	18	159	36.3	38.2	70.7	17	25	7	16	1	8
Chains.....	11	279	63.7	61.8	29.3		43	3	38	3	26
Other types.....											
Florists.....	60	549	100.0	100.0	(2)	54	91	24	80	6	23
Independents.....	60	549	100.0	100.0		54	91	24	80	6	23
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	8	45	100.0	100.0	(2)	5	6	1	2	(3)	5
Independents.....	8	45	100.0	100.0		5	6	1	2	(3)	5
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
All other kinds of business.....	1,358	24,004	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,218	2,806	589	2,793	220	3,796

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

VERMONT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	5,423	\$123,369	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,942	12,010	2,305	\$10,707	\$303	\$17,827
Independents.....	4,891	95,871	77.7	78.4	88.0	4,865	9,278	1,435	8,312	534	15,061
Single-store.....	4,571	84,210	68.3	70.2	80.2	4,671	8,095	1,363	7,107	499	13,507
Multiunit.....	262	11,429	9.3	7.9	7.8	134	1,161	67	1,190	34	1,552
Market and roadside stands.....	48	95	(1)	.2	—	47	10	2	6	(2)	2
Leased departments—Independent.....	10	137	.1	.1	—	13	12	3	9	1	—
Chains.....	383	22,944	18.6	18.7	10.5	6	2,430	765	2,087	226	2,385
Local chains.....	36	1,519	1.2	.2	1.5	4	137	3	146	1	210
Sectional or national chains.....	314	20,171	16.4	17.8	8.9	2	2,147	745	1,775	220	1,950
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	30	1,118	.9	.7	.1	—	134	14	158	5	216
Leased-department chains.....	3	136	.1	(1)	—	—	12	3	8	(2)	9
Other types.....	149	4,554	3.7	2.9	1.5	71	302	105	308	43	441
Utility-operated stores.....	54	532	.4	.4	.3	—	108	52	94	17	157
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	47	515	.4	.5	.2	40	82	20	90	5	39
Commissaries or company stores.....	Two stores cmbd with "Other types."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	14	1,085	.9	.5	.3	—	38	7	42	3	85
Other types of operation.....	54	2,422	2.0	1.5	.4	31	74	26	82	18	161
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	549	8,086	100.0	100.0	100.0	450	487	118	448	42	850
Independents.....	436	5,827	47.3	62.7	42.1	449	190	38	132	12	539
Chains.....	113	4,259	52.7	37.2	57.4	1	297	80	316	30	311
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	699	20,792	100.0	100.0	100.0	677	1,380	278	1,177	95	1,635
Independents.....	647	15,730	75.7	64.0	89.9	673	989	181	816	55	1,419
Chains.....	48	5,015	24.1	35.8	9.6	—	389	97	360	40	264
Other types.....	4	47	.2	.2	.5	4	2	—	1	—	2
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	82	1,205	100.0	(3)	(3)	84	177	21	176	6	8
Independents.....	82	1,205	100.0	—	—	84	177	21	176	6	8
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	60	513	100.0	(3)	(3)	58	55	20	29	6	35
Independents.....	59	513	100.0	—	—	58	55	20	29	6	35
Chains.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	17	4,447	100.0	100.0	100.0	2	598	106	587	32	940
Independents.....	6	1,663	37.4	48.2	—	2	285	9	282	2	502
Chains.....	11	2,784	62.6	51.8	100.0	—	313	97	285	30	438
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	62	3,517	100.0	100.0	100.0	30	783	437	384	105	539
Independents.....	34	506	14.4	8.6	11.4	30	80	28	37	5	160
Chains.....	28	3,011	85.6	91.4	88.6	—	703	409	347	100	379
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	78	2,064	100.0	100.0	100.0	71	165	22	180	7	861
Independents.....	74	1,743	84.4	97.9	77.2	70	135	22	143	7	790
Chains.....	4	321	15.6	—	—	1	30	—	37	—	71
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."					—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	40	1,114	100.0	100.0	100.0	37	119	29	93	6	424
Independents.....	40	1,114	100.0	97.5	100.0	37	119	29	93	6	424
Chains.....	—	—	—	2.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	86	1,823	100.0	100.0	100.0	86	218	35	166	11	413
Independents.....	85	1,823	100.0	97.9	77.2	86	218	35	166	11	413
Chains.....	1	—	—	2.1	22.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	52	1,227	100.0	100.0	100.0	33	112	26	112	7	428
Independents.....	35	724	59.0	57.6	82.5	33	63	13	63	3	294
Chains.....	17	503	41.0	39.5	17.5	—	49	13	49	4	134
Leased departments.....	—	—	—	2.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	55	1,831	100.0	100.0	100.0	47	191	24	228	10	606
Independents.....	55	1,831	100.0	100.0	100.0	47	191	24	228	10	606
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	62	1,126	100.0	(3)	(3)	18	207	56	220	21	256
Independents.....	18	305	27.1	—	—	15	47	5	48	4	65
Chains.....	7	200	17.8	—	—	—	47	—	68	—	29
Utility-operated stores.....	33	531	47.1	—	—	—	107	51	94	17	157
Other types.....	4	90	8.0	—	—	3	6	—	10	—	5
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	25	846	100.0	(3)	(3)	19	136	36	165	34	196
Independents.....	25	846	100.0	—	—	19	136	36	165	34	196
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	13	98	100.0	100.0	100.0	12	10	1	9	(2)	18
Independents.....	13	98	100.0	100.0	99.9	12	10	1	9	(2)	18
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

VERMONT

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	155	\$18,358	100.0	100.0	(3)	119	1,357	39	\$1,686	\$36	\$1,983
Independents.....	154	18,356	100.0	100.0		119	1,357	39	1,686	36	1,983
Chains.....	1										
Other types.....											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	50	996	100.0	100.0	(3)	43	120	12	133	7	183
Independents.....	40	762	76.5	90.3		43	93	11	98	7	120
Chains.....	10	234	23.5	9.7			27	1	35	(2)	63
Other types.....											
Filling stations.....	963	9,508	100.0	100.0	100.0	931	789	147	657	50	468
Independents.....	927	8,599	90.4	85.2	74.4	931	693	143	544	46	439
Chains.....	36	909	9.6	16.8	25.6		96	4	113	2	29
Other types.....											
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	61	2,647	100.0	100.0	(3)	50	318	34	351	25	753
Independents.....	61	2,647	100.0	100.0		50	318	34	351	25	753
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	39	964	100.0	100.0	(3)	27	61	14	68	8	157
Independents.....	37	964	100.0	70.4		27	61	14	68	8	157
Chains.....	2			29.8							
Other types.....											
Hardware stores.....	101	2,649	100.0	100.0	100.0	89	291	37	330	24	1,035
Independents.....	101	2,649	100.0	100.0	98.9	89	291	37	330	24	1,035
Chains.....											
Other types.....					1.1						
Restaurants, other eating places.....	417	5,002	100.0	100.0	100.0	430	1,290	126	784	27	74
Independents.....	410	4,801	96.0	98.8	98.3	427	1,242	119	753	25	70
Chains.....	4	102	2.0				36	4	22	1	4
Other types.....	3	99	2.0	1.2	1.7	3	12	3	9	1	
Drug stores with fountain.....	109	2,551	100.0	100.0	(3)	99	281	46	255	13	672
Independents.....	104	2,554	92.3	93.2		99	255	45	223	12	641
Chains.....	4	197	7.7	6.8			26	1	32	1	31
Other types.....	1										
Drug stores, other.....	40	811	100.0	100.0	(3)	42	67	12	51	3	214
Independents.....	40	811	100.0	100.0		42	67	12	51	3	214
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	32	2,176	100.0	100.0	---	9	48	18	57	16	154
Independents.....	8	59	2.7	5.7	---	9	3	1	1	1	---
Chains.....											
State liquor stores.....	24	2,117	97.3	94.3	---		45	17	56	15	154
Other types.....											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	161	3,804	100.0	100.0	100.0	158	467	122	465	51	366
Independents.....	160				97.5						
Chains.....	1	3,804	100.0		2.5	158	467	122	465	51	366
Other types.....											
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	217	9,710	100.0	100.0	(3)	128	508	65	513	29	1,029
Independents.....	129	4,888	50.3	59.1		126	253	44	229	18	559
Chains.....	75	3,857	39.7	35.8		2	222	15	248	9	393
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	13	967	10.0	5.3			33	8	36	2	77
Other types.....											
Farm and garden supply stores.....			Five stores combined with "Hay, grain and feed stores."								
Independents.....											
Chains.....											
Farmers' cooperatives stores.....											
Other types.....											
Jewelry stores.....	57	755	100.0	100.0	100.0	55	90	12	99	3	447
Independents.....	57	755	100.0	100.0	100.0	55	90	12	99	3	447
Chains.....											
Other types.....											
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	35	532	100.0	100.0	100.0	36	43	10	40	2	60
Independents.....	34	532	100.0	96.7	100.0						
Chains.....	1					36	43	10	40	2	60
Other types.....				3.3							
Florists.....	33	343	100.0	100.0	(3)	30	66	9	50	3	32
Independents.....	32										
Chains.....	1	343	100.0			30	68	9	50	3	32
Other types.....											
News dealers.....	38	627	100.0	100.0	(3)	31	91	33	45	4	66
Independents.....	36										
Chains.....	2	627	100.0	98.1		31	91	33	45	4	66
Other types.....				1.9							
All other kinds of business.....	1,035	13,269	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,041	1,485	360	1,169	120	2,933

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

VIRGINIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	29,810	\$628,172	100.0	100.0	100.0	25,389	74,864	12,995	\$63,887	\$3,743	\$82,708
Independents.....	27,317	469,452	74.7	75.8	81.8	25,228	56,047	7,324	48,334	2,220	67,489
Single-store.....	25,825	418,178	66.3	67.5	75.8	24,373	48,799	6,513	41,719	2,004	59,793
Multiunit.....	1,447	51,525	8.2	7.5	5.7	629	7,022	753	6,455	196	7,617
Market and roadside stands.....	204	1,155	.1	.5	(1)	198	150	40	91	13	15
Leased departments—-independent.....	41	818	.1	.1	.1	28	78	18	69	7	64
Chains.....	1,771	120,746	19.2	19.7	16.7	33	16,460	5,289	12,856	1,391	12,117
Local chains.....	254	9,228	1.5	1.1	5.1	22	1,170	165	1,044	35	1,140
Sectional or national chains.....	1,281	102,734	16.3	18.2	10.9	8	14,054	4,918	10,479	1,297	9,969
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	173	6,711	1.1	.2	.4	—	941	121	1,051	34	813
Leased-department chains.....	83	2,075	.3	.2	.3	3	295	85	282	25	195
Other types.....	522	37,974	6.1	4.7	1.7	128	2,357	402	2,877	132	3,102
Utility-operated stores.....	67	2,121	.3	.3	.4	3	374	199	383	66	281
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	65	1,877	.3	.2	.1	26	419	80	451	15	88
Commissaries or company stores.....	123	8,883	1.4	1.1	.8	1	648	78	705	35	1,010
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	87	7,010	1.2	.4	.4	—	381	37	355	10	745
Other types of operation.....	200	18,083	2.9	2.7	(1)	98	535	30	743	6	998
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	5,018	31,938	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,383	2,205	495	1,442	115	3,891
Independents.....	4,717	20,431	64.0	53.3	40.3	4,382	1,055	271	549	54	2,828
Chains.....	295	11,414	35.7	46.8	58.8	1	1,140	219	887	60	849
Other types.....	6	91	.3	.1	.9	—	10	5	6	1	6
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	3,686	90,645	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,218	8,244	1,944	8,010	512	6,464
Independents.....	3,253	55,974	61.8	61.5	71.9	3,208	5,278	1,014	3,418	215	4,840
Chains.....	405	34,249	37.8	38.4	27.2	8	2,935	927	2,557	297	1,585
Other types.....	8	422	.4	.1	.9	2	31	3	37	(2)	39
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	128	7,862	100.0	(3)	(3)	42	1,319	93	1,610	29	78
Independents.....	60	8,785	88.0	—	—	39	1,073	28	1,431	10	74
Chains.....	68	1,097	14.0	—	—	3	246	85	179	19	4
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	503	3,351	100.0	100.0	(3)	449	568	106	287	24	159
Independents.....	471	3,069	91.6	97.2	—	448	468	94	235	21	148
Chains.....	28	243	7.2	2.3	—	—	91	7	47	2	8
Other types.....	4	39	1.2	.5	—	1	11	5	5	1	5
Department stores.....	80	43,873	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	7,460	1,702	8,703	529	6,164
Independents.....	28	28,195	59.7	66.4	77.2	13	4,825	851	4,827	259	3,854
Chains.....	54	17,878	40.3	33.6	22.8	—	2,635	1,051	1,876	270	2,330
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	302	16,807	100.0	100.0	100.0	141	4,306	2,331	2,049	541	2,510
Independents.....	177	2,560	14.0	11.1	7.0	140	529	234	221	37	890
Chains.....	125	14,447	86.0	88.8	93.0	1	3,777	2,097	1,828	504	1,620
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	302	11,199	100.0	100.0	100.0	197	1,113	118	1,411	34	3,086
Independents.....	254	9,070	81.0	91.8	89.1	194	899	76	1,174	23	2,781
Chains.....	42	2,012	18.0	8.0	8.8	—	197	42	211	11	307
Other types.....	8	117	1.0	.2	4.1	3	17	—	28	—	18
Family clothing stores.....	257	9,021	100.0	100.0	100.0	199	1,198	217	1,090	46	2,743
Independents.....	237	8,261	91.6	88.4	77.8	198	1,068	202	978	42	2,595
Chains.....	20	760	8.4	11.8	18.0	1	110	15	114	4	148
Other types.....	—	—	—	4.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	298	11,530	100.0	100.0	100.0	203	1,558	277	1,208	92	1,420
Independents.....	245	7,730	67.0	73.9	74.1	200	1,109	150	857	48	1,166
Chains.....	53	3,800	33.0	26.1	18.5	3	450	127	351	46	254
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	233	8,066	100.0	100.0	100.0	103	861	203	908	46	1,872
Independents.....	151	3,129	38.8	44.0	57.3	103	345	69	376	17	1,029
Chains.....	72	4,196	52.0	47.0	37.2	—	441	127	442	27	884
Leased departments.....	30	741	9.2	6.9	5.5	—	75	7	90	2	159
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Furniture stores.....	390	18,464	100.0	100.0	100.0	293	2,191	99	2,889	44	3,945
Independents.....	370	15,589	84.4	78.5	65.8	291	1,899	99	2,464	44	3,454
Chains.....	20	2,875	15.6	21.5	12.8	2	292	—	425	—	491
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	180	4,331	100.0	(3)	(3)	52	810	220	925	83	554
Independents.....	67	1,583	36.8	—	—	51	233	20	307	16	225
Chains.....	50	794	18.3	—	—	1	218	3	247	1	61
Utility-operated stores.....	63	1,954	45.1	—	—	—	359	197	371	66	248
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	83	2,393	100.0	(3)	(3)	83	307	25	354	11	318
Independents.....	80	2,252	94.1	—	—	61	295	25	333	11	300
Chains.....	1	141	5.9	—	—	2	12	—	21	—	18
Other types.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	20	625	100.0	100.0	100.0	18	92	4	113	3	133
Independents.....	20	625	100.0	100.0	92.8	18	92	4	113	3	133
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	7.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

VIRGINIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	589	\$78,226	100.0	100.0	(3)	391	6,607	117	\$8,111	\$57	\$7,742
Independents	582	77,479	99.0	98.3		390	6,543	117	8,033	57	7,660
Chains	7	747	1.0	1.7		1	64		78		82
Other types	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	194	7,724	100.0	100.0	(3)	108	808	36	1,001	17	1,002
Independents	117	3,164	41.0	61.7		108	343	20	383	10	464
Chains	77	4,560	59.0	38.3			465	16	618	7	538
Other types											
Filling stations	5,083	49,625	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,671	4,729	594	3,520	173	2,287
Independents	4,965	46,647	94.0	77.0	68.7	4,664	4,362	585	3,167	170	2,105
Chains	109	2,643	5.3	22.9	31.3	4	349	8	332	3	142
Other types	9	335	.7	.1			18	1	21	(2)	20
Lumber, building-materials dealers	263	19,367	100.0	100.0	(3)	180	2,355	292	2,573	155	3,977
Independents	263	19,367	100.0	100.0		180	2,355	292	2,573	155	3,977
Chains											
Other types											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	55	1,279	100.0	100.0	(3)	32	141	21	190	10	261
Independents	50	1,050	82.1	88.7		32	118	21	158	10	213
Chains	5	229	17.9	11.3			23		32		48
Other types											
Hardware stores	331	12,273	100.0	100.0	100.0	259	1,125	71	1,247	31	4,495
Independents	319	11,573	94.3	99.7	81.6	259	1,040	71	1,137	31	4,268
Chains	12	700	5.7	.3	3.9		85		110		227
Other types					14.5						
Restaurants, other eating places	2,766	25,878	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,619	7,731	859	3,815	195	758
Independents	2,706	24,318	94.0	95.4	95.9	2,616	7,208	770	3,494	176	726
Chains	44	1,062	4.1	2.9	4.0	1	427	75	258	15	18
Other types	16	498	1.9	1.7	.1	2	96	14	63	4	14
Drug stores with fountain	629	22,535	100.0	100.0	(3)	478	3,382	340	2,875	104	3,830
Independents	589	16,970	75.3	74.4		477	2,713	322	2,181	99	3,214
Chains	40	5,565	24.7	25.6		1	669	18	694	5	616
Other types											
Drug stores, other	180	3,611	100.0	100.0	(3)	130	413	49	409	16	642
Independents	148	3,047	84.4			130	365	44	353	15	543
Chains	12	564	15.6				48	5	56	1	99
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	124	16,997	100.0	100.0	---	32	393	3	600	1	883
Independents	33	254	1.5	.9	---	32	25	3	11	1	32
Chains											
State liquor stores	91	16,743	98.5	99.1	---		368	---	589	---	851
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-bil dealers	671	13,792	100.0	100.0	100.0	566	2,174	516	1,820	223	912
Independents	658	13,792	100.0	98.0	86.2	566	2,174	516	1,820	223	912
Chains	13			.2	15.5						
Other types				1.8	.3						
Hay, grain and feed stores	296	13,834	100.0	100.0	(3)	216	771	69	707	20	1,432
Independents	252	9,929	71.8	88.4		216	603	54	533	14	986
Chains	9	599	4.3	5.5			27	3	26	2	51
Farmers' cooperative stores	35	3,306	23.9	6.1			141	12	148	4	415
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	108	5,207	100.0	100.0	(3)	73	309	39	345	13	572
Independents	90			78.3							
Chains	1	3,379	64.9	8.4		73	243	35	286	12	442
Farmers' cooperative stores	15	1,828	35.1	13.0			66	4	59	1	130
Other types				.3							
Jewelry stores	215	6,070	100.0	100.0	100.0	182	733	47	1,063	18	2,535
Independents	206	5,317	87.6	96.8	79.7	182	628	47	910	18	2,368
Chains	9	753	12.4	3.2	20.3		105		153		167
Other types											
Cigar stores, cigar stands	61	917	100.0	100.0	100.0	43	126	12	99	3	63
Independents	48	481	52.5	58.3	67.1	43	63	12	42	3	31
Chains	13	436	47.5	41.7	32.9		63		57		32
Other types											
Florists	182	2,064	100.0	100.0	(3)	176	382	76	366	27	106
Independents	180			100.0							
Chains	2	2,064	100.0			176	382	76	366	27	106
Other types											
News dealers	66	760	100.0	100.0	(3)	54	136	16	84	4	68
Independents	58			83.6							
Chains	8	760	100.0	16.4		54	136	16	84	4	68
Other types											
All other kinds of business	8,383	87,910	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,805	10,316	2,004	8,043	567	18,038

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

WASHINGTON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	26,682	\$668,780	100.0	100.0	100.0	24,798	66,852	15,795	\$75,405	\$7,304	\$81,527
Independents.....	24,439	502,312	75.1	75.6	79.2	24,569	50,153	10,675	56,762	4,952	62,221
Single-store.....	22,774	446,857	66.8	67.3	70.6	23,534	44,069	9,500	49,179	4,445	54,255
Multiunit.....	1,144	47,615	7.1	7.6	8.5	543	5,283	899	6,813	393	7,531
Market and roadside stands.....	296	4,770	.7	.5	(1)	292	464	164	1,095	68	120
Leased departments—Independent.....	225	3,090	.5	.2	.1	200	337	112	310	46	315
Chains.....	1,619	137,992	20.6	20.7	18.5	39	14,759	4,533	16,330	2,065	16,820
Local chains.....	548	16,320	2.4	2.3	6.5	27	2,017	484	2,276	200	2,289
Sectional or national chains ²	1,040	112,849	16.9	17.7	11.3	11	11,599	3,826	12,668	1,775	13,566
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	143	6,661	1.0	.5	.6	—	809	117	1,095	53	764
Leased-department chains.....	88	2,162	.5	.2	.1	1	334	106	291	37	201
Other types.....	624	28,486	4.3	3.7	2.3	190	1,940	587	2,313	287	2,486
Utility-operated stores.....	125	2,551	.4	.4	.6	5	465	201	590	121	510
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	113	1,418	.2	.3	.1	89	396	131	403	25	81
Commissaries or company stores.....	20	2,674	.4	.4	.2	2	220	11	306	4	517
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	85	6,105	.9	.3	.5	—	288	70	290	34	657
Other types of operation.....	283	15,738	2.4	2.3	1.1	94	571	174	724	103	721
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Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	3,096	50,158	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,912	2,613	816	2,432	271	4,400
Independents.....	2,933	42,299	84.3	75.1	70.4	2,908	2,013	613	1,817	215	3,884
Chains.....	150	7,467	14.9	24.8	29.4	3	554	196	555	53	481
Other types.....	13	392	.8	.1	.2	1	46	7	50	3	35
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	1,976	72,785	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,767	4,340	1,364	4,699	483	4,600
Independents.....	1,715	42,542	58.4	67.4	67.1	1,760	2,418	615	2,448	224	3,272
Chains.....	256	30,113	41.4	32.6	32.9	6	1,909	745	2,237	257	1,308
Other types.....	5	180	.2	(1)	—	1	13	4	14	2	22
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	264	5,133	100.0	(3)	(3)	248	646	131	708	61	157
Independents.....	237	4,143	80.8	—	—	246	543	94	607	39	141
Chains.....	27	985	19.2	—	—	2	103	37	101	22	16
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	460	2,770	100.0	(3)	(3)	450	348	150	240	57	143
Independents.....	443	2,591	93.5	96.6	—	444	315	144	213	55	140
Chains.....	11	173	6.3	2.5	—	—	33	6	27	2	3
Other types.....	6	6	.2	.9	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Department stores.....	89	74,631	100.0	100.0	100.0	2	10,123	2,136	11,633	1,249	12,142
Independents.....	26	34,021	45.6	51.3	61.0	2	5,681	694	6,784	437	5,347
Chains and mail-order.....	63	40,610	54.4	48.7	39.0	—	4,442	1,442	4,849	812	6,795
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	284	13,849	100.0	100.0	100.0	209	2,450	1,054	1,810	433	2,422
Independents.....	224	3,962	28.6	24.7	28.2	208	613	211	484	77	958
Chains.....	60	9,887	71.4	75.3	71.8	1	1,837	843	1,326	356	1,464
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	288	9,235	100.0	100.0	100.0	236	801	176	1,216	97	3,519
Independents.....	278	8,526	92.3	95.7	85.0	236	735	168	1,103	93	3,319
Chains.....	10	709	7.7	3.9	15.0	—	66	8	113	4	200
Other types.....	—	—	—	.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	81	2,939	100.0	100.0	100.0	74	354	59	451	32	829
Independents.....	79	—	—	—	67.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	2	2,939	100.0	—	32.7	74	354	59	451	32	829
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	384	12,309	100.0	100.0	100.0	321	1,619	354	1,688	175	1,822
Independents.....	337	7,967	64.7	73.2	74.9	314	1,069	200	1,145	112	1,408
Chains.....	47	4,342	35.3	26.8	25.1	7	550	154	543	63	414
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	231	7,766	100.0	100.0	100.0	151	728	231	911	114	2,145
Independents.....	153	3,686	47.5	54.4	71.6	135	319	75	429	35	1,320
Chains.....	49	3,316	42.7	41.2	25.9	6	336	141	387	72	658
Leased departments.....	29	764	9.8	4.4	2.5	10	73	15	95	7	167
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	294	14,030	100.0	100.0	100.0	285	1,402	148	2,200	96	3,285
Independents.....	289	—	—	93.1	93.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	4	14,030	100.0	6.9	6.9	285	1,402	148	2,200	96	3,285
Other types.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	217	3,979	100.0	(3)	(3)	76	715	215	928	120	722
Independents.....	78	940	23.6	—	—	74	116	25	129	9	171
Chains.....	20	781	19.6	—	—	—	172	5	260	2	117
Utility-operated stores.....	116	2,227	56.0	—	—	—	421	185	531	109	433
Other types.....	3	31	.8	—	—	2	6	—	8	—	1
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	104	2,489	100.0	(3)	(3)	103	268	41	356	20	374
Independents.....	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	2,489	100.0	—	—	103	268	41	356	20	374
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	61	1,066	100.0	100.0	100.0	60	95	10	146	6	256
Independents.....	60	—	—	100.0	80.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	1	1,066	100.0	—	18.4	60	95	10	146	6	256
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

WASHINGTON

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	536	\$84,494	100.0	100.0	(3)	454	5,561	223	\$8,883	\$139	\$8,637
Independents.....	536	84,494	100.0			454	5,561	223	8,883	139	8,637
Chains.....	—	—	—	100.0		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	255	8,242	100.0	100.0	(3)	208	917	86	1,327	45	1,010
Independents.....	197	4,442	53.9	41.0		206	550	47	815	27	591
Chains.....	58	3,800	46.1	59.0		2	367	38	512	18	419
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	4,413	56,306	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,295	3,530	892	3,812	390	1,965
Independents.....	4,111	47,976	85.2	75.4	88.9	4,292	2,702	819	2,591	348	1,658
Chains.....	276	7,071	12.6	22.8	11.1	3	767	67	1,149	40	202
Other types.....	26	1,259	2.2	1.8	—	—	61	6	72	2	105
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	502	21,370	100.0	100.0	(3)	322	2,014	377	2,963	232	3,547
Independents.....	384	16,329	76.4	72.0		316	1,527	286	2,366	210	2,409
Chains.....	114	5,003	23.4	28.0		1	486	90	596	21	1,128
Other types.....	4	38	.2	—	—	5	1	1	1	1	10
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	128	2,231	100.0	100.0	(3)	108	245	46	361	53	599
Independents.....	108	1,462	65.5	62.2		108	183	46	261	53	419
Chains.....	20	769	34.5	37.8		—	62	—	100	—	180
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	382	10,207	100.0	100.0	100.0	347	914	103	1,266	58	3,586
Independents.....	369	9,047	88.6	88.6	85.8	345	779	99	1,060	56	3,155
Chains.....	10	1,160	11.4	11.4	16.2	2	135	4	206	2	431
Other types.....	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Restaurants, other eating places.....	3,000	33,826	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,239	9,125	2,313	7,322	908	376
Independents.....	2,947	32,197	95.2	93.6	94.2	3,235	8,662	2,144	6,912	836	359
Chains.....	45	1,421	4.2	6.2	5.7	1	396	130	354	52	12
Other types.....	8	208	.6	.2	.1	3	67	39	56	20	5
Drug stores with fountain.....	495	12,762	100.0	100.0	(3)	405	1,644	522	1,647	254	2,785
Independents.....	445	9,079	71.1	67.4		404	991	317	977	146	2,300
Chains.....	50	3,683	28.9	32.6		1	653	205	670	108	485
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	365	9,934	100.0	100.0	(3)	315	783	133	1,098	61	2,425
Independents.....	353	7,415	74.6	78.3		312	643	127	883	59	2,067
Chains.....	12	2,519	25.4	21.7		3	140	6	215	2	358
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	211	14,547	100.0	100.0	—	33	455	129	591	80	552
Independents.....	31	251	1.7	5.5	—	33	16	9	10	4	18
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	180	14,296	98.3	94.5	—	—	439	120	581	76	534
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	804	13,268	100.0	100.0	100.0	762	1,634	483	2,112	277	709
Independents.....	788	12,490	94.1	90.2		762	1,540	453	1,976	250	673
Chains.....	16	778	5.9	9.8	100.0	—	94	30	136	27	36
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	305	13,955	100.0	100.0	(3)	248	590	100	689	49	1,183
Independents.....	269	10,350	74.2	85.2		248	492	87	573	42	826
Chains.....	14	668	4.8	14.0		—	31	—	46	—	61
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	22	2,937	21.0	.8		—	67	13	70	7	296
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	62	2,892	100.0	100.0	(3)	34	182	38	211	22	300
Independents.....	52	2,100	72.6	77.9		34	139	34	159	19	219
Chains.....	—	—	—	11.6		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	10	792	27.4	10.5		—	43	4	52	3	81
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jewelry stores.....	238	6,027	100.0	100.0	100.0	230	465	51	736	21	2,352
Independents.....	233	—	—	85.1	79.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	5	6,027	100.0	14.9	20.2	230	465	51	736	21	2,352
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	234	3,050	100.0	100.0	100.0	188	377	54	484	25	235
Independents.....	200	2,337	76.6	70.1	89.9	187	306	53	377	25	159
Chains.....	34	713	23.4	29.9	10.1	1	71	1	107	(4)	76
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Florists.....	222	2,184	100.0	100.0	(3)	218	376	122	412	70	119
Independents.....	222	2,184	100.0	100.0		218	376	122	412	70	119
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	22	133	100.0	100.0	(3)	23	16	12	9	5	9
Independents.....	21	—	—	70.7		—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	133	100.0	22.1		23	16	12	9	5	9
Other types.....	1	—	—	7.2		—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	6,679	100,223	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,475	11,522	3,226	12,064	1,401	14,322

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 One mail-order house, classified as a department store, is combined with "Sectional or national chains."

3 Comparable data not available.

4 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

WEST VIRGINIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincor- porated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	12,928	\$403,989	100.0	100.0	100.0	16,202	42,318	7,898	\$38,263	\$2,355	\$51,252
Independents.....	17,019	256,669	63.5	66.7	76.7	16,121	27,660	3,673	24,662	1,142	37,358
Single-store.....	15,832	225,995	55.9	60.0	69.7	15,469	24,007	3,253	21,138	1,015	32,425
Multiunit.....	943	29,324	7.3	6.5	7.0	417	3,519	381	3,440	116	4,862
Market and roadside stands.....	228	999	.2	.2	(1)	223	96	34	46	9	30
Leased departments—Independent.....	16	351	.1	(1)	—	12	38	5	58	2	41
Chains.....	1,196	87,672	21.7	21.7	17.5	31	10,486	3,598	8,761	987	8,665
Local chains.....	179	8,170	2.0	1.6	4.7	12	928	129	929	39	971
Sectional or national chains.....	860	74,940	18.6	19.8	12.4	15	8,895	3,382	7,116	924	7,207
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	96	3,622	.9	.1	.3	1	488	44	583	13	569
Leased-department chains.....	61	940	.2	.2	.1	3	175	43	133	11	118
Other types.....	713	59,648	14.8	11.6	5.8	50	4,172	627	4,840	226	5,229
Utility-operated stores.....	55	1,455	.4	.3	.3	—	321	174	286	59	257
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	55	2,014	.5	.4	.2	19	475	95	515	27	90
Commissaries or company stores.....	437	43,392	10.7	9.2	5.2	8	2,891	345	3,362	133	4,192
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	12	343	.1	.1	.1	—	32	11	25	6	36
Other types of operation.....	154	12,444	3.1	1.6	(1)	23	453	2	652	1	654
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	2,787	20,694	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,511	946	290	821	93	1,881
Independents.....	2,607	11,061	53.4	46.1	44.0	2,506	365	80	184	17	1,339
Chains.....	169	9,184	44.3	51.8	55.5	1	553	209	598	76	494
Other types.....	11	469	2.3	2.1	.5	4	28	1	39	(2)	48
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	2,610	63,438	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,340	4,619	1,079	3,849	300	4,653
Independents.....	2,345	37,390	58.9	63.7	72.7	2,333	2,816	467	2,131	117	3,467
Chains.....	230	24,054	37.9	34.0	26.7	6	1,679	601	1,572	178	1,023
Other types.....	35	1,994	3.2	2.3	.6	1	124	11	146	5	163
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	123	2,078	100.0	(3)	(3)	85	449	34	369	11	45
Independents.....	94	1,563	75.2	—	—	84	282	19	264	6	35
Chains.....	29	515	24.8	—	—	1	167	15	105	5	10
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	466	2,594	100.0	100.0	(3)	433	345	77	166	20	106
Independents.....	454	2,275	87.7	95.5	—	432	299	65	134	15	94
Chains.....	6	182	7.0	1.0	—	—	35	11	25	5	3
Other types.....	6	137	5.3	3.5	—	1	11	1	7	(2)	9
Department stores.....	56	24,620	100.0	100.0	100.0	4	3,697	916	3,413	267	3,617
Independents.....	19	11,320	46.0	52.8	59.8	4	2,089	372	2,005	110	1,754
Chains.....	37	13,300	54.0	36.9	40.2	—	1,608	544	1,408	157	1,863
Other types.....	—	—	—	10.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	172	13,633	100.0	100.0	100.0	82	3,107	1,510	1,692	372	1,770
Independents.....	90	1,244	9.1	6.9	10.8	82	201	58	91	9	395
Chains.....	82	12,389	90.9	93.1	89.2	—	2,906	1,452	1,601	363	1,375
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	206	7,367	100.0	100.0	100.0	160	689	91	913	30	2,382
Independents.....	196	6,895	93.6	90.1	94.0	160	650	85	868	27	2,286
Chains.....	10	472	6.4	9.8	6.0	—	39	6	45	3	96
Other types.....	—	—	—	.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	225	6,349	100.0	100.0	100.0	175	822	159	759	47	1,942
Independents.....	182	4,531	71.4	76.2	72.2	172	549	119	466	30	1,631
Chains.....	43	1,818	28.6	23.8	27.8	3	273	40	293	17	311
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	251	8,680	100.0	100.0	100.0	183	1,105	208	987	61	1,240
Independents.....	209	6,307	72.7	74.7	84.1	180	812	121	748	38	1,053
Chains.....	42	2,373	27.3	25.3	15.9	3	293	87	239	23	187
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	158	5,256	100.0	100.0	100.0	64	572	170	549	42	1,414
Independents.....	86	2,383	45.4	52.0	62.3	62	230	35	256	8	837
Chains.....	54	2,314	44.0	43.4	36.1	—	277	120	229	29	463
Leased departments.....	18	559	10.6	4.6	1.6	2	65	15	64	5	114
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	218	12,047	100.0	100.0	100.0	166	1,343	85	1,928	36	2,717
Independents.....	196	9,674	80.3	78.9	84.3	164	1,067	56	1,486	23	2,136
Chains.....	22	2,373	19.7	21.1	11.6	2	276	29	442	13	581
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	4.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	120	2,612	100.0	(3)	(3)	49	571	210	511	83	389
Independents.....	55	1,021	39.1	—	—	46	161	42	162	26	175
Chains.....	31	818	31.3	—	—	1	194	3	215	1	106
Utility-operated stores.....	31	703	26.9	—	—	—	209	165	125	56	103
Other types.....	3	70	2.7	—	—	2	7	—	9	—	5
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	108	2,384	100.0	(3)	(3)	77	362	39	429	19	430
Independents.....	82	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chains.....	—	2,384	100.0	—	—	77	362	39	429	19	430
Other types.....	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio stores—other.....	16	430	100.0	100.0	100.0	14	65	5	95	2	87
Independents.....	16	430	100.0	100.0	96.4	14	65	5	95	2	87
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	3.6	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

WEST VIRGINIA

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	414	\$46,725	100.0	100.0	(3)	312	3,760	92	\$4,655	\$53	\$4,762
Independents	414	46,725	100.0	100.0		312	3,760	92	4,655	53	4,762
Chains	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	144	3,858	100.0	100.0	(3)	88	461	36	521	17	538
Independents	96	1,869	48.4	54.6		88	253	27	255	13	357
Chains	48	1,989	51.6	45.4		---	208	9	276	4	181
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations	2,516	26,398	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,298	2,157	314	1,699	98	1,021
Independents	2,428	23,568	89.3	72.3	57.5	2,297	1,899	296	1,437	90	897
Chains	67	1,899	7.2	26.5	38.1	1	192	12	190	6	85
Other types	25	952	3.5	1.2	4.4	---	66	6	72	2	39
Lumber, building-materials dealers	210	12,152	100.0	100.0	(3)	148	1,368	226	1,694	117	2,704
Independents	202	11,604	95.5	85.5		148	1,317	224	1,629	115	2,486
Chains	8	548	4.5	14.5		---	51	2	65	2	218
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	79	1,100	100.0	100.0	(3)	54	143	22	147	10	285
Independents	68	830	75.5	79.3		54	100	12	104	9	237
Chains	11	270	24.5	20.7		---	43	10	43	1	48
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores	213	5,224	100.0	100.0	100.0	185	480	36	553	17	1,891
Independents	213	5,224	100.0	93.9	85.3	185	480	36	553	17	1,891
Chains	---	---	---	6.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	14.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places	1,739	14,528	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,705	4,075	376	2,177	93	223
Independents	1,701	13,542	93.2	98.4	98.5	1,705	3,818	319	1,996	80	199
Chains	23	416	2.9	1.3	1.1	---	162	43	94	6	7
Other types	15	570	3.9	.3	.4	---	95	14	87	7	17
Drug stores with fountain	345	9,790	100.0	100.0	(3)	248	1,403	186	1,260	60	2,107
Independents	315	7,498	76.6	85.5		247	1,050	114	925	35	1,819
Chains	30	2,292	23.4	14.5		1	353	72	335	25	288
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other	132	3,099	100.0	100.0	(3)	101	307	38	329	9	701
Independents	117	2,089	67.4	98.7		97	222	30	239	8	564
Chains	15	1,010	32.6	---		4	85	8	90	1	137
Other types	---	---	---	1.3		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	148	12,375	100.0	100.0	---	17	433	4	829	1	656
Independents	17	101	.8	1.8	---	17	16	4	7	1	8
Chains	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores	131	12,274	99.2	98.2	---	---	417	---	622	---	648
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	145	862	100.0	100.0	100.0	142	174	48	127	16	18
Independents	144	---	---	69.0	79.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains	1	862	100.0	31.0	20.3	142	174	48	127	16	18
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hay, grain and feed stores	193	3,436	100.0	100.0	(3)	151	229	51	179	17	418
Independents	156	2,082	60.6	71.6		151	138	51	95	9	238
Chains	31	1,130	32.9	28.4		---	77	16	73	7	156
Farmers' cooperative stores	6	224	6.5	---	---	---	14	4	11	1	24
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores	13	87	100.0	100.0	(3)	12	12	4	7	3	16
Independents	11	---	---	86.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains	2	87	100.0	12.9		12	12	4	7	3	16
Farmers' cooperative stores	---	---	---	.4		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores	144	3,074	100.0	100.0	100.0	132	296	28	377	12	1,121
Independents	141	2,932	95.4	94.8	87.5	132	281	27	355	11	1,081
Chains	3	142	4.6	5.2	12.5	---	15	1	22	1	40
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands	50	628	100.0	100.0	100.0	40	74	12	58	4	42
Independents	41	391	62.3	55.8	87.2	39	56	11	39	4	24
Chains	9	237	37.7	41.6	12.2	1	18	1	19	(2)	18
Other types	---	---	---	2.8	.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists	101	1,249	100.0	100.0	(3)	98	219	52	195	15	93
Independents	97	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains	4	1,249	100.0	---	---	98	219	52	195	15	93
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers	59	588	100.0	100.0	(3)	43	80	22	40	3	37
Independents	48	---	---	90.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains	11	588	100.0	9.6	---	43	80	22	40	3	37
Other types	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business	4,769	86,634	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,085	7,955	1,478	7,125	427	11,946

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Less than \$500.

3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

WISCONSIN

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	47,604	\$1,064,994	100.0	100.0	100.0	44,086	107,409	26,641	\$103,249	\$9,797	\$129,330
Independents.....	44,286	855,052	80.3	80.0	81.5	43,854	81,893	18,092	78,296	6,586	106,021
Single-store.....	42,239	770,018	72.3	72.9	74.0	42,850	71,825	16,053	66,971	5,683	93,679
Multistore.....	1,769	81,713	7.7	7.0	7.5	778	9,666	1,913	11,019	861	12,016
Market and roadside stands.....	68	279	(1)	(1)	(1)	89	60	26	20	6	6
Leased departments—-independent.....	170	3,042	.3	.1	(1)	137	342	100	286	36	320
Chains.....	2,699	182,975	17.2	16.1	16.9	48	22,205	7,650	21,292	2,772	20,349
Local chains.....	511	21,701	2.1	1.7	5.7	33	2,770	716	2,779	223	2,094
Sectional or national chains.....	1,799	148,464	13.9	16.0	10.3	11	17,622	6,661	18,422	2,462	15,727
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	245	9,346	.9	.1	.5	—	1,242	128	1,582	44	1,221
Leased-department chains.....	144	3,464	.3	.3	.4	4	571	145	509	43	507
Other types.....	619	26,967	2.5	1.9	1.6	184	3,311	899	3,661	439	2,980
Utility-operated stores.....	116	4,075	.4	.3	.5	2	814	618	667	348	924
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	133	3,362	.3	.4	.5	95	810	135	841	37	181
Commissaries or company stores.....	14	1,141	.1	.1	.1	2	86	4	96	2	181
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	258	16,900	1.6	1.0	.7	—	1,443	134	1,949	50	1,530
Other types of operation.....	96	1,489	.1	.1	(1)	85	158	8	208	4	144
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	3,620	61,652	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,238	3,723	1,404	2,962	475	5,293
Independents.....	3,239	44,850	72.7	71.3	68.7	3,232	2,355	713	1,688	205	4,325
Chains.....	363	18,515	26.8	28.3	31.7	2	1,321	683	1,234	268	925
Other types.....	18	287	.5	.4	1.8	4	47	8	40	2	43
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	4,152	122,487	100.0	100.0	100.0	4,034	7,551	2,231	6,427	800	7,328
Independents.....	3,861	94,657	77.5	81.5	77.6	4,030	5,484	1,311	4,466	418	6,027
Chains.....	278	26,901	22.0	18.4	22.2	4	2,007	911	1,896	378	1,239
Other types.....	13	709	.5	.1	.2	—	80	9	85	4	62
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	522	25,954	100.0	(2)	(2)	401	3,837	179	6,282	77	271
Independents.....	442	17,949	69.2	—	—	396	2,551	124	3,920	59	200
Chains.....	68	4,908	18.8	—	—	2	831	52	1,480	15	36
Other types.....	12	3,099	11.9	—	—	3	455	3	862	3	35
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	576	4,115	100.0	100.0	(2)	526	553	194	334	64	135
Independents.....	541	3,521	85.6	89.3	—	519	457	172	264	58	131
Chains.....	29	558	13.5	7.3	—	1	94	22	69	6	3
Other types.....	6	38	.9	3.4	—	6	2	—	1	—	1
Department stores.....	128	85,360	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	12,710	3,343	13,009	1,376	12,743
Independents.....	45	51,219	60.0	63.0	76.6	13	8,493	1,762	9,134	807	8,206
Chains.....	83	34,141	40.0	37.0	23.4	—	4,217	1,581	4,875	569	4,537
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Variety stores.....	384	21,924	100.0	100.0	100.0	219	4,602	2,420	2,725	813	2,938
Independents.....	220	3,032	13.6	8.3	11.0	219	482	190	226	50	768
Chains.....	164	18,892	86.2	91.7	89.0	—	4,140	2,230	2,499	763	2,168
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	518	17,362	100.0	100.0	100.0	429	1,569	329	2,106	128	5,597
Independents.....	489	15,313	88.2	90.7	86.1	428	1,381	261	1,877	105	5,195
Chains.....	27	2,049	11.8	9.3	13.7	1	188	68	229	23	402
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family clothing stores.....	158	4,619	100.0	100.0	100.0	125	633	159	634	43	1,259
Independents.....	136	3,939	85.3	87.5	70.4	124	514	133	524	38	1,113
Chains.....	22	680	14.7	9.9	29.6	1	119	26	110	5	146
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	612	20,961	100.0	100.0	100.0	483	3,161	924	2,861	340	2,646
Independents.....	500	15,674	74.8	76.7	71.0	462	2,338	561	2,251	206	2,151
Chains.....	112	5,287	25.2	23.3	20.5	1	823	363	610	134	495
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	8.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	642	13,901	100.0	100.0	100.0	437	1,489	537	1,453	164	3,947
Independents.....	473	7,488	53.9	55.2	63.2	426	707	200	708	62	2,709
Chains.....	119	5,252	37.8	36.2	34.8	1	634	289	608	88	1,009
Leased departments.....	50	1,161	8.3	7.1	2.0	10	148	48	137	14	229
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Furniture stores.....	515	17,530	100.0	100.0	100.0	438	1,682	218	2,517	102	4,221
Independents.....	495	18,081	91.6	95.7	84.0	436	1,518	195	2,276	97	3,877
Chains.....	20	1,469	8.4	4.3	14.9	2	164	21	241	5	344
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	1.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance dealers.....	321	7,620	100.0	(2)	(2)	184	1,358	689	1,307	377	1,485
Independents.....	187	2,822	40.0	—	—	183	511	73	537	32	426
Chains.....	25	1,198	15.7	—	—	—	281	1	395	(3)	206
Utility-operated stores.....	109	3,602	47.3	—	—	1	766	615	575	345	853
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	246	6,599	100.0	(2)	(2)	223	587	70	727	34	941
Independents.....	230	5,351	81.1	—	—	223	482	66	543	51	767
Chains.....	13	799	12.1	—	—	—	62	2	95	2	108
Other types.....	3	449	6.8	—	—	—	43	2	89	1	66
Radio stores—other.....	66	746	100.0	100.0	100.0	74	77	8	116	2	137
Independents.....	68	746	100.0	98.9	94.3	74	77	8	118	2	137
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	5.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	1.1	.3	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

WISCONSIN

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	1,329	\$121,596	100.0	100.0	(2)	1,256	7,795	270	\$9,955	\$126	\$12,245
Independents.....	1,319	119,684	96.4	97.6		1,252	7,677	269	9,613	125	12,136
Chains.....	10	1,912	1.6	2.4		4	116	1	142	1	109
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	455	9,328	100.0	100.0	(2)	392	966	95	1,223	34	1,415
Independents.....	381	5,720	61.3	49.2		392	576	75	660	24	1,027
Chains.....	74	3,606	36.7	50.6		—	410	20	563	10	386
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Filling stations.....	5,942	74,175	100.0	100.0	100.0	5,622	5,126	1,464	4,325	509	2,697
Independents.....	5,597	63,405	85.5	72.9	59.6	5,614	4,120	1,376	3,096	462	2,234
Chains.....	252	7,119	9.6	26.0	39.2	6	686	46	892	31	171
Other types.....	93	3,651	4.9	1.1	1.0	2	320	40	337	16	292
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	696	48,394	100.0	100.0	(2)	422	4,107	605	5,575	310	11,651
Independents.....	665	37,887	78.3	77.2		421	3,147	377	4,486	215	6,906
Chains.....	233	10,507	21.7	22.3		1	960	228	1,087	95	2,945
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	222	3,686	100.0	100.0	(2)	165	354	47	416	25	626
Independents.....	171	2,127	57.7	64.0		161	233	40	232	22	557
Chains.....	51	1,559	42.3	36.0		4	131	7	164	3	271
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardware stores.....	1,110	21,629	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,122	2,028	260	2,198	115	7,424
Independents.....	1,103	21,543	96.7	99.1	95.6	1,120	2,001	258	2,168	115	7,342
Chains.....	6	266	1.3	.6	3.5	2	27	2	30	(3)	62
Other types.....	1	—	.3	.9							
Restaurants, other eating places.....	2,676	30,166	100.0	100.0	100.0	2,725	8,654	1,675	5,109	572	389
Independents.....	2,591	28,679	95.1	92.4	93.9	2,724	6,133	1,803	4,733	554	375
Chains.....	82	1,473	4.9	7.5	6.1	1	515	71	373	17	14
Other types.....	3	14	(1)	.1		—	6	1	3	1	—
Drug stores with fountain.....	1,002	26,947	100.0	100.0	(2)	843	3,111	931	2,694	343	4,586
Independents.....	937	20,670	77.4	76.7		643	2,268	676	1,690	243	4,123
Chains.....	65	6,077	22.6	23.3		—	643	253	604	100	463
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Drug stores, other.....	338	7,529	100.0	100.0	(2)	294	623	111	705	35	1,567
Independents.....	312	5,211	69.2	76.6		294	447	96	447	32	1,353
Chains.....	26	2,316	30.6	23.3		—	176	13	232	3	214
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	206	3,607	100.0	100.0	—	160	167	49	149	17	380
Independents.....	206	3,607	100.0	99.6	—	160	167	49	149	17	360
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
State liquor stores.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	951	33,406	100.0	100.0	100.0	662	3,362	583	4,202	286	4,296
Independents.....	935	29,162	67.3	80.3	95.6	661	2,887	577	3,456	283	3,562
Chains.....	13	4,152	12.4	19.1	4.2	—	489	4	739	2	923
Other types.....	3	92	.3	.6		1	6	2	7	1	11
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	756	29,431	100.0	100.0	(2)	574	1,601	262	1,525	100	3,235
Independents.....	614	21,486	73.0	86.3		570	1,135	192	1,060	76	2,394
Chains.....	62	2,160	7.3	16.3		4	136	19	144	9	247
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	80	5,765	19.7	15.4		—	328	51	321	15	594
Other types.....	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm and garden supply stores.....	97	3,635	100.0	100.0	(2)	70	281	30	293	14	510
Independents.....	79	1,996	55.0	65.3		70	177	27	169	13	323
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	16	1,637	45.0	33.6	(1)	—	104	3	104	1	167
Other types.....	One store cmbd with "Independents."										
Jewelry stores.....	491	6,455	100.0	100.0	100.0	451	627	64	662	37	2,673
Independents.....	487	6,399	99.1	98.5	97.6	451	618	63	670	36	2,663
Chains.....	4	56	.9	1.5	1.6	—	9	1	12	1	10
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."										
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	241	3,147	100.0	100.0	100.0	201	247	75	166	23	252
Independents.....	213	2,472	76.6	76.6	69.3	201	186	64	136	19	166
Chains.....	21	608	19.3	20.3	10.7	—	53	9	48	3	63
Other types.....	7	67	2.1	.9	—	—	6	2	6	1	3
Florists.....	312	3,364	100.0	100.0	(2)	326	486	130	445	52	250
Independents.....	312	3,364	100.0	100.0		326	486	130	445	52	250
Chains.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
News dealers.....	72	800	100.0	100.0	(2)	69	90	50	47	15	52
Independents.....	71	800	100.0	92.5		69	90	50	47	15	52
Chains.....	1	—	7.5			—	—	—	—	—	—
Other types.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other kinds of business.....	16,048	226,491	100.0	100.0	100.0	17,708	24,230	7,217	19,676	2,389	25,541

* Employees and pay roll include paid executives of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

1 Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

2 Comparable data not available.

3 Less than \$500.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

MILWAUKEE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types	9,375	\$288,244	100.0	100.0	100.0	8,181	32,285	7,862	\$36,446	\$3,474	\$29,965
Independents	8,509	223,686	77.6	76.7	75.3	8,071	23,653	5,176	28,838	2,300	23,989
Single-store.....	8,138	194,205	67.4	66.2	64.7	7,691	19,778	4,222	21,932	1,774	20,401
Multiunit.....	288	27,641	9.6	10.1	10.6	111	3,643	892	4,696	499	3,421
Market and roadside stands.....	10	39	(1)	(1)	---	11	1	1	(2)	(2)	1
Leased departments—-independent.....	75	1,801	.8	.4	(1)	58	231	61	208	27	146
Chains	745	58,630	20.3	21.9	23.2	18	7,688	2,595	8,225	1,149	5,404
Local chains.....	202	10,012	3.5	3.0	8.3	15	1,545	450	1,552	142	1,740
Sectional or national chains.....	408	42,285	14.6	17.9	12.4	1	5,318	2,049	5,630	974	2,975
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	97	4,608	1.8	.5	1.4	---	569	45	800	17	551
Leased-department chains.....	38	1,725	.6	.5	1.1	---	254	51	243	18	138
Other types	121	5,928	2.1	1.4	1.5	94	948	91	1,385	25	592
Utility-operated stores.....	1	---	---	.2	.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	40	2,714	1.0	.9	.8	25	513	83	564	21	508
Commissaries or company stores.....	1	---	---	(1)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	7	2,525	.9	---	---	---	378	4	731	2	27
Other types of operation.....	72	689	.2	.3	(1)	89	55	4	90	2	59
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats)	938	18,137	100.0	100.0	100.0	824	1,037	409	990	168	1,383
Independents.....	822	12,898	71.1	74.7	86.5	822	644	187	593	60	1,137
Chains.....	114	5,239	28.9	24.5	33.4	2	393	222	397	108	248
Other types.....	---	---	---	.8	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Two stores cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats)	774	23,168	100.0	100.0	100.0	719	1,381	438	1,280	187	1,131
Independents.....	716	17,709	76.4	77.3	70.9	719	925	229	851	92	882
Chains.....	58	5,457	23.6	22.7	29.1	---	456	209	429	95	249
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers	64	12,390	100.0	(3)	(3)	28	1,903	38	3,677	15	105
Independents.....	31	8,734	54.4	---	---	27	985	12	1,911	9	65
Chains.....	30	3,187	25.7	---	---	---	551	24	1,043	6	15
Other types.....	3	2,469	19.9	---	---	1	367	---	723	---	25
Candy, nut, confectionery stores	202	1,746	100.0	100.0	(3)	169	217	78	150	32	47
Independents.....	185	1,377	78.9	71.9	---	166	177	74	117	31	44
Chains.....	14	345	19.7	19.5	---	---	39	4	32	1	3
Other types.....	3	24	1.4	8.6	---	3	1	---	1	---	---
Department stores	15	43,856	100.0	100.0	100.0	2	6,734	1,791	7,373	909	6,035
Independents.....	7	33,838	77.5	81.1	89.8	2	5,471	1,221	6,147	637	5,049
Chains.....	8	9,818	22.5	18.9	10.2	---	1,263	570	1,228	272	987
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores	82	6,826	100.0	100.0	100.0	28	1,379	757	892	328	770
Independents.....	28	371	5.6	2.2	3.5	28	50	18	30	4	72
Chains.....	34	6,255	94.4	97.8	96.5	---	1,329	741	882	322	698
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores	122	8,181	100.0	100.0	100.0	72	616	127	892	51	1,647
Independents.....	108	4,648	75.4	81.8	89.1	71	486	79	722	32	1,375
Chains.....	14	1,515	24.8	18.2	30.9	1	130	48	170	19	272
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores	36	1,407	100.0	100.0	100.0	21	223	38	301	8	250
Independents.....	32	1,194	84.9	88.3	51.7	21	184	35	260	7	228
Chains.....	4	213	15.1	13.7	48.3	---	39	3	41	1	24
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores	155	9,624	100.0	100.0	100.0	82	1,532	433	1,593	211	914
Independents.....	111	7,508	78.0	78.8	72.7	81	1,193	279	1,308	117	701
Chains.....	44	2,118	22.0	23.1	17.4	1	339	154	285	94	213
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	9.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
One store cmbd with "Independents.".....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds)	148	5,081	100.0	100.0	100.0	79	547	218	581	77	1,135
Independents.....	99	2,120	41.7	47.8	47.4	77	208	54	236	19	874
Chains.....	42	2,893	53.0	46.8	50.8	1	305	153	313	55	408
Leased departments.....	7	268	5.3	5.8	---	1	34	11	32	3	55
Other types.....	---	---	---	1.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores	84	5,548	100.0	100.0	100.0	45	586	52	1,018	40	1,148
Independents.....	79	---	---	---	73.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	5	5,548	100.0	---	24.5	45	588	52	1,018	40	1,148
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	1.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers	28	2,153	100.0	(3)	(3)	14	264	14	387	5	570
Independents.....	14	298	13.8	---	---	12	30	3	45	3	37
Chains.....	10	879	31.5	---	---	---	144	---	220	---	88
Utility-operated stores.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	3	1,178	54.7	---	---	2	90	11	122	2	447
Radio—household appliance dealers	58	2,351	100.0	(3)	(3)	38	148	13	218	8	254
Independents.....	47	1,881	80.0	---	---	38	123	12	175	5	188
Chains.....	9	470	20.0	---	---	---	25	1	43	1	68
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other	14	302	100.0	100.0	100.0	13	39	2	68	1	63
Independents.....	14	302	100.0	98.3	89.3	13	39	2	68	1	63
Chains.....	---	---	---	1.7	10.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

MILWAUKEE

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new).....	76	\$28,997	100.0	100.0	(3)	29	1,498	13	\$2,447	\$6	\$2,398
Independents.....	78	28,997	100.0	95.4		29	1,498	13	2,447	6	2,398
Chains.....	---	---	---	4.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Accessory, tire, battery dealers.....	71	3,174	100.0	100.0	(3)	35	342	19	505	8	435
Independents.....	43	1,264	39.8	40.8		35	132	9	208	5	235
Chains.....	28	1,910	60.2	59.2		---	210	10	297	5	200
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Filling stations.....	659	13,005	100.0	100.0	100.0	643	925	260	939	122	367
Independents.....	605	10,813	85.1	59.1	57.0	639	712	248	610	105	311
Chains.....	56	2,192	16.9	40.9	43.0	4	213	14	329	17	58
Other types.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lumber, building-materials dealers.....	44	5,806	100.0	100.0	(3)	16	489	14	968	12	1,298
Independents.....	42	---	---	89.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	5,806	100.0	10.5		18	489	14	968	12	1,298
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores.....	57	1,240	100.0	100.0	(3)	20	92	3	132	1	197
Independents.....	24	196	15.8	25.2		20	17	3	15	1	40
Chains.....	33	1,044	84.2	74.8		---	75	---	117	---	157
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Hardware stores.....	92	1,709	100.0	100.0	100.0	74	176	24	231	10	508
Independents.....	92	1,709	100.0	93.9	89.4	74	176	24	231	10	508
Chains.....	---	---	---	6.1	10.8	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Restaurants, other eating places.....	578	8,851	100.0	100.0	100.0	542	2,717	525	1,789	249	78
Independents.....	526	7,709	87.1	81.8	83.7	541	2,332	475	1,498	236	66
Chains.....	52	1,142	12.9	18.2	16.3	1	385	50	291	13	12
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores with fountain.....	295	8,334	100.0	100.0	(3)	230	984	373	869	137	1,210
Independents.....	268	5,785	69.4	64.8		230	663	281	538	102	1,036
Chains.....	27	2,549	30.6	35.4		---	321	92	331	35	174
Other types.....	---	---	---	---		---	---	---	---	---	---
Drug stores, other.....	51	1,668	100.0	100.0	(3)	37	116	18	158	8	164
Independents.....	45	---	---	49.2		---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	8	1,668	100.0	50.2		37	116	18	158	8	164
Other types.....	---	---	---	.6		---	---	---	---	---	---
Liquor stores (packaged goods).....	92	1,989	100.0	100.0	---	84	87	26	85	10	195
Independents.....	92	1,989	100.0	100.0	---	84	87	26	85	10	195
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State liquor stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers.....	238	13,750	100.0	100.0	100.0	207	1,200	114	1,810	69	2,094
Independents.....	229	10,185	74.1	64.9	100.0	207	795	113	1,154	69	1,224
Chains.....	8	---	---	34.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	3,585	25.9	.7	---	---	405	1	656	(2)	870
Hay, grain and feed stores.....	13	161	100.0	100.0	(3)	14	10	3	16	1	10
Independents.....	13	161	100.0	100.0	---	14	10	3	16	1	10
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farm and garden supply stores.....	13	82	100.0	100.0	(3)	11	11	1	13	1	12
Independents.....	13	82	100.0	100.0	---	11	11	1	13	1	12
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Farmers' cooperative stores.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jewelry stores.....	123	2,213	100.0	100.0	100.0	95	231	20	378	8	1,078
Independents.....	121	---	---	100.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	2	2,213	100.0	---	100.0	95	231	20	378	8	1,078
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cigar stores, cigar stands.....	119	1,774	100.0	100.0	100.0	99	100	25	84	9	140
Independents.....	103	1,285	71.3	74.9	74.2	99	62	20	48	7	85
Chains.....	18	509	28.7	23.1	25.8	---	38	5	36	2	55
Other type.....	Two stores cmbd with "Independents."	---	---	2.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florists.....	105	1,220	100.0	100.0	(3)	103	162	40	160	18	59
Independents.....	105	1,220	100.0	100.0	---	103	162	40	160	16	59
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
News dealers.....	30	135	100.0	100.0	(3)	28	30	24	12	6	3
Independents.....	29	---	---	72.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	1	135	100.0	28.0	---	28	30	24	12	6	3
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
All other kinds of business.....	4,025	55,768	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,780	6,529	1,954	6,432	785	4,271

* Employees and pay roll include paid executive of corporations but not the number and compensation of proprietors of unincorporated businesses.

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3 Comparable data not available.

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS

WYOMING

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Total—all types.....	4,113	\$100,233	100.0	100.0	100.0	3,863	8,938	1,531	\$9,346	\$614	\$14,826
Independents.....	3,612	81,472	81.3	81.5	84.7	3,840	7,126	1,023	7,485	417	12,089
Single-store.....	3,544	71,834	71.7	73.9	77.3	3,703	6,161	893	6,461	351	10,422
Multiunit.....	249	9,456	9.4	7.4	7.4	116	951	129	1,013	66	1,647
Market and roadside stands.....	7	15	(1)	.1	---	8	3	---	1	---	---
Leased departments—Independent.....	12	167	.2	.1	---	13	11	1	10	(2)	20
Chains.....	217	16,227	16.2	14.9	12.2	5	1,532	428	1,540	162	2,309
Local chains.....	56	1,720	1.7	.9	3.6	2	173	10	160	4	186
Sectional or national chains.....	154	14,225	14.2	13.9	8.6	3	1,322	414	1,323	157	2,080
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Leased-department chains.....	1	282	.3	---	---	---	37	4	57	1	33
Other types.....	84	2,534	2.5	3.6	3.1	18	280	80	321	35	428
Utility-operated stores.....	37	522	.5	.7	---	---	94	50	111	22	150
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	21	133	.1	.1	---	16	29	6	30	4	5
Commissaries or company stores.....	8	1,106	1.1	2.2	1.0	---	97	20	116	6	207
Farmer and consumer cooperative stores.....	14	765	.8	.5	---	---	58	4	62	3	66
Other types of operation.....	4	8	(1)	.1	2.1	2	2	---	2	---	---
KIND OF BUSINESS											
Grocery stores (without fresh meats).....	227	4,167	100.0	100.0	100.0	209	180	34	207	11	488
Independents.....	214	2,886	69.3	74.4	72.6	209	122	18	131	5	367
Chains.....	13	1,281	30.7	25.6	27.4	---	58	16	76	6	121
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Combination stores (groceries-meats).....	393	15,574	100.0	100.0	100.0	380	857	168	902	49	1,249
Independents.....	370	11,302	72.6	72.5	85.6	380	641	101	625	31	1,013
Chains.....	23	4,272	27.4	27.5	14.4	---	216	67	277	18	236
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dairy products, milk dealers.....	42	267	100.0	(3)	(3)	38	38	6	31	2	2
Independents.....	42	267	100.0	---	---	38	38	6	31	2	2
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Candy, nut, confectionery stores.....	56	360	100.0	100.0	(3)	54	43	7	28	1	33
Independents.....	54	360	100.0	100.0	---	54	43	7	28	1	33
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Department stores.....	15	3,576	100.0	100.0	100.0	---	362	98	388	38	678
Independents.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	14	3,576	100.0	68.3	58.0	---	362	98	388	38	678
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Variety stores.....	39	1,375	100.0	100.0	100.0	29	293	134	163	41	294
Independents.....	31	370	26.9	16.6	---	29	61	22	30	4	122
Chains.....	8	1,005	73.1	83.4	---	---	232	112	133	37	172
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Men's-boys' clothing, furnishings, hat stores.....	53	1,374	100.0	100.0	100.0	53	89	18	112	7	651
Independents.....	53	1,374	100.0	99.9	100.0	53	89	18	112	7	651
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Family clothing stores.....	20	428	100.0	100.0	100.0	16	41	8	31	3	167
Independents.....	19	428	100.0	100.0	100.0	16	41	8	31	3	167
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Women's ready-to-wear stores.....	82	1,376	100.0	100.0	100.0	76	152	33	118	11	271
Independents.....	75	1,217	88.4	79.6	---	76	125	28	97	10	253
Chains.....	7	159	11.6	20.4	---	---	27	5	21	1	18
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Shoe stores (all kinds).....	25	400	100.0	100.0	100.0	26	29	6	36	2	150
Independents.....	22	351	87.8	100.0	98.9	23	25	5	30	1	145
Chains.....	1	---	---	---	1.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Leased departments.....	2	49	12.2	---	---	3	4	1	6	1	5
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Furniture stores.....	46	1,440	100.0	100.0	100.0	44	136	17	204	8	512
Independents.....	46	1,440	100.0	100.0	100.0	44	136	17	204	8	512
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Household appliance dealers.....	55	917	100.0	(3)	(3)	12	140	56	177	25	241
Independents.....	15	278	29.3	---	---	12	25	6	28	3	67
Chains.....	4	121	13.2	---	---	---	22	1	39	(2)	24
Utility-operated stores.....	36	518	57.5	---	---	---	93	49	110	22	150
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio—household appliance dealers.....	18	444	100.0	(3)	(3)	21	37	5	44	3	60
Independents.....	18	444	100.0	---	---	21	37	5	44	3	60
Chains.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Radio stores—other.....	12	197	100.0	100.0	100.0	8	29	---	38	---	51
Independents.....	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Chains.....	3	197	100.0	---	69.9	8	29	---	38	---	51
Other types.....	---	---	---	---	30.1	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 3.—TYPES OF OPERATION—TOTAL AND FOR PRINCIPAL KINDS OF BUSINESS:
STORES, SALES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL AND STOCKS—Continued

WYOMING

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Sales (add 000)	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALES			Active proprietors of unincorporated businesses	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES* (average for year)		PAY ROLL* (add 000)		Stocks on hand, end of year, at cost (add 000)
			1939	1935	1929		Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	
Motor-vehicle dealers (new)	164	\$17,124	100.0	100.0	(3)	147	1,231	51	\$1,748	\$35	\$1,892
Independents	164	17,124	100.0	100.0		147	1,231	51	1,748	35	1,892
Chains											
Other types											
Accessory, tire, battery dealers	62	961	100.0	100.0	(3)	58	77	12	83	5	184
Independents	55	673	70.0	100.0		58	48	7	47	3	144
Chains	7	288	30.0				29	5	36	2	40
Other types											
Filling stations	862	11,547	100.0	100.0	100.0	827	781	135	712	54	511
Independents	829	10,618	91.9	92.5	94.8	825	701	128	619	51	475
Chains	25	667	5.8	6.0	5.0	2	61	7	68	3	23
Other types	8	264	2.3	1.5	.2		19		25		13
Lumber, building-materials dealers	111	5,170	100.0	100.0	(3)	51	447	121	645	77	1,548
Independents	80	3,474	67.2	66.9		51	309	61	485	41	1,047
Chains	31	1,696	32.8	33.1			138	60	160	36	501
Other types											
Paint, glass, wallpaper stores	9	97	100.0	100.0	(3)	6	14	3	20	1	35
Independents	9	97	100.0	100.0		6	14	3	20	1	35
Chains											
Other types											
Hardware stores	59	1,497	100.0	100.0	100.0	56	124	20	154	17	566
Independents	57	1,497	100.0	100.0	100.0	56	124	20	154	17	566
Chains	2										
Other types											
Restaurants, other eating places	424	4,414	100.0	100.0	100.0	478	1,195	148	823	56	71
Independents	419	4,414	100.0	98.9	94.7	478	1,195	148	823	56	71
Chains	5			1.1	5.2						
Other types					.1						
Drug stores with fountain	112	3,757	100.0	100.0	(3)	98	407	49	424	20	884
Independents	104	3,757	100.0	100.0		98	407	49	424	20	884
Chains	8										
Other types											
Drug stores, other	21	457	100.0	100.0	(3)	20	24	1	31	(2)	120
Independents	20	457	100.0	100.0		20	24	1	31	(2)	120
Chains	1										
Other types											
Liquor stores (packaged goods)	19	470	100.0	100.0		18	18	2	19	(2)	48
Independents	19	470	100.0	100.0		18	18	2	19	(2)	48
Chains											
State liquor stores											
Other types											
Fuel, ice, fuel-oil dealers	112	681	100.0	100.0	100.0	120	105	37	84	14	13
Independents	112	681	100.0	100.0	99.7	120	105	37	84	14	13
Chains					.3						
Other types											
Hay, grain and feed stores	53	1,599	100.0	100.0	(3)	47	75	15	66	7	180
Independents	50	1,418	88.7	100.0		47	63	14	52	6	163
Chains	3	181	11.3				12	1	14	1	17
Farmers' cooperative stores											
Other types											
Farm and garden supply stores	6	281	100.0	100.0	(3)	5	24	2	20	(2)	68
Independents	5	281	100.0			5	24	2	20	(2)	68
Chains	1			11.0							
Farmers' cooperative stores											
Other types											
Jewelry stores	42	539	100.0	100.0	100.0	45	36	6	52	1	309
Independents	42	539	100.0	100.0	98.4	45	36	6	52	1	309
Chains					1.6						
Other types											
Cigar stores, cigar stands	31	421	100.0	100.0	100.0	26	62	14	49	5	33
Independents	25	421	100.0	100.0	85.9	26	62	14	49	5	33
Chains	6				13.5						
Other types					.6						
Florists	33	174	100.0	100.0	(3)	38	22	6	16	2	11
Independents	33	174	100.0	100.0		36	22	6	16	2	11
Chains											
Other types											
News dealers	10	88	100.0	100.0	(3)	12	11	9	3	1	25
Independents	10	88	100.0	100.0		12	11	9	3	1	25
Chains											
Other types											
All other kinds of business	900	19,061	100.0	100.0	100.0	847	1,859	310	1,918	118	3,481

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Kind of business classifications are not interchangeable with commodity classifications. Food stores, for instance, sell more than food, and food also is sold in other kinds of stores, including variety, general, and department stores. Likewise, apparel, furniture, and drugs are sold in many stores not classified as apparel, furniture, or drug stores. For the purpose of this classification it is necessary to include each establishment in a particular group on the basis of the activity from which it derives the principal part of its receipts. Many establishments sell such a wide range of articles that they cannot be classified on a basis of commodity sales; in such cases establishments are classified on the basis of usual trade designations, such as drug stores, delicatessens, and variety stores.

Thirty-one kinds of business are shown in the tables of this report. These are the classifications with the largest dollar sales or the largest number of stores or the classifications where differences in types of operation are important. Kinds of business not separately shown are combined into one group "All other kinds of business." Definitions are provided for kinds of business shown separately.

GROCERY STORES (WITHOUT FRESH MEATS).—These stores are primarily engaged in selling at retail all sorts of canned foods, such as soups, vegetables, fruits, and meats, in addition to dry groceries, either packaged or in bulk, such as tea, coffee, cocoa, dried fruits, spices, sugar, flour, and crackers. They may carry smoked and prepared meats, and fresh fish and poultry in limited quantities, but not fresh meats. Usually fresh vegetables and fruits are carried.

COMBINATION STORES (GROCERIES-MEATS).—These stores are primarily engaged in selling the same line of merchandise as grocery stores, in combination with fresh meats.

DAIRY PRODUCTS STORES, MILK DEALERS.—These establishments are primarily engaged in selling at retail such dairy products as milk, cream, butter, cheese, and related products. The dairy products store is engaged in over-the-counter sales to customers and this classification is differentiated from milk dealers in method of distribution and not by kind of commodity. Milk dealers sell by daily delivery to the home. Dealers who sell primarily to retailers or hotels and restaurants are considered, for census purposes, as engaged in wholesaling and are included in Wholesale Census reports.

CANDY, NUT, CONFECTIONERY STORES.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling at retail boxed and bulk candy, or boxed and bulk nuts. Operation of a soda fountain or lunch counter or the serving of meals is common.

DEPARTMENT STORES.—Department stores are general merchandise stores with sales in excess of \$100,000, usually of the full service type, carrying men's, women's, and children's apparel and shoes, furnishings and accessories, dry goods, home-ware, and many other lines. Furniture and hardware are often but not necessarily represented, although home furnishings, draperies, curtains, and linens are almost invariably carried. Mail-order houses selling general merchandise are included in this classification.

VARIETY STORES.—These stores carry a variety of small wares, especially lower-priced lines of stationery, gift items, women's accessories, toilet articles, light hardware, toys, housewares, confectionery, etc. Sales are usually for cash without delivery service. They are frequently distinguished by advertised price ranges of "5 and 10 cent" or "5 cents to a dollar."

MEN'S-BOYS' FURNISHINGS, HAT, AND CLOTHING STORES.—This is a combination of three classifications marked by their specialization in men's clothing. Men's-boys' furnishings stores are primarily engaged in selling men's and boys' furnishings, such as shirts, gloves, hosiery, and underwear. Stores primarily engaged in selling hats are separately classified. Men's-boys' clothing stores (and furnishings) are primarily en-

gaged in selling men's and boys' overcoats, topcoats, suits, and work clothing.

FAMILY CLOTHING STORES.—These establishments are primarily engaged in selling clothing, furnishings, and accessories for men, women, and children, without specializing in any line.

WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR STORES.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling women's and misses' ready-to-wear coats, suits, and dresses. Frequently, accessories and shoes also are sold.

SHOE STORES.—This is a combination of three classifications, men's shoe stores, family shoe stores, and women's shoe stores. The family stores are primarily engaged in selling footwear for men, women, and children, without specializing in any one line, while the men's shoe stores and women's shoe stores specialize in men's and boys' footwear and women's and misses' footwear, respectively.

FURNITURE STORES.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling household furniture in combination with home furnishings and appliances.

HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCE DEALERS.—This classification includes stores specializing in the sale of electric and gas household appliances, electric and gas refrigerators, stoves, and ranges.

RADIO--HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCE STORES.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling radios with additional lines of household appliances.

RADIO STORES--OTHER.—This is a combination of two classifications, radio stores and radio--musical instrument stores. The former classification consists of establishments specializing almost exclusively in the sale of radios, television sets, and parts. Radio dealers usually provide repair service. Radio--musical instrument stores are establishments primarily engaged in the sale of radios in combination with other musical instruments.

MOTOR-VEHICLE DEALERS.—These dealers specialize in the sale of automobiles. They frequently carry stocks of replacement parts and maintain repair departments to provide service and repairs. Limited quantities of tires, batteries, and automotive accessories are ordinarily carried, the sales of which are included in the total sales reported. This classification includes motor-vehicle dealers (new and trade-in), motor-vehicle--farm implement dealers, and motor-vehicle dealers (retail-wholesale). Retail dealers in motor vehicles who also sell at wholesale are included in this classification when more than fifty percent of the total receipts are from sales of automobiles at retail. A distributor of automobiles whose sales are primarily at wholesale is included in the Census of Wholesale Trade even though he may be the principal retailer in the area.

ACCESSORY, TIRE, BATTERY DEALERS.—These establishments are primarily engaged in selling automobile tires, batteries, and other accessories.

FILLING STATIONS.—This classification includes establishments primarily engaged in selling gasoline and lubricating oils. Places of business operating under the name "garage" but which derive the larger part of their receipts from gasoline and oil sales also are included. Filling stations also sell tires and tubes, other automobile accessories, and sometimes lunches, candy, tobacco, and groceries.

LUMBER YARDS AND BUILDING-MATERIALS DEALERS.—Lumber yards are establishments primarily engaged in selling lumber, while building-materials dealers are establishments primarily engaged in selling at retail a general line of building materials, such as roofing materials, sand, gravel, crushed stone, etc. Retail lumber yards often carry builders' hardware,

roofing materials, and other builders' supplies.

PAINT, GLASS, WALLPAPER STORES.—This classification includes stores specializing in wallpaper, paint, or glass, including glass and mirror shops.

HARDWARE STORES.—This classification includes establishments primarily engaged in selling any combination of the basic lines of hardware, such as tools, builders' hardware, paint, glass, housewares, household appliances, cutlery, and roofing materials.

RESTAURANTS, OTHER EATING PLACES.—This classification includes restaurants; cafeterias; lunchrooms; lunch counters and stands; and soft drink, juice, and ice cream stands. Establishments which are primarily drinking places but which also sell food are not included in this classification. Restaurants and lunch counters operated by hotels are included in the Hotel Census, and eating places located in clubs and institutions where service is primarily to members or personnel are not included in retail trade.

DRUG STORES.—The stores in this classification have been included on the basis of their usual trade designation rather than the more strict interpretation of the commodities handled. These stores sell prescriptions, drugs, or patent medicines in combination with lines such as cosmetics, toiletries, tobacco, magazines and books, and novelty merchandise. In some States bottled wines and liquors constitute an important part of drug store sales. Drug stores are classified in two ways, drug stores with fountain and drug stores—other. In the former, the sale of sandwiches and light lunches is frequently an important source of receipts.

LIQUOR STORES (PACKAGED GOODS).—These stores specialize in the sale of bottled or otherwise packaged alcoholic beverages such as beer, ale, wine, and whiskey for consumption off the premises. Liquor stores operated by States, counties, and municipalities are included in this classification.

FUEL AND ICE DEALERS AND FUEL-OIL RETAILERS.—The establishments in these two classifications are engaged primarily

in selling at retail, fuel, ice, or fuel oil, respectively. Stores primarily engaged in selling fuel-oil burners and those engaged in installing and servicing fuel-oil burners are not included in this classification.

HAY, GRAIN, AND FEED STORES.—This classification includes stores primarily engaged in selling hay, grain, and feed. Frequently fertilizer, seed, farm implements and supplies, flour, and other merchandise is sold.

FARM AND GARDEN SUPPLY STORES.—This classification includes stores selling primarily seeds and nursery stock, fertilizer, garden tools, etc.

JEWELRY STORES.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling jewelry, such as diamonds and other precious stones mounted in precious metals; rings, bracelets, and brooches; sterling and plated silverware; watches and clocks; etc. Establishments primarily engaged in watch and jewelry repair are not considered a part of retail trade but are included in the Service Census.

FLORISTS.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling at retail cut flowers and growing plants. Stores primarily engaged in selling seeds, bulbs, and nursery stocks are classified elsewhere. Greenhouses are not considered a part of retail trade but are included in the Census of Agriculture.

CIGAR STORES, CIGAR STANDS.—These stores are primarily engaged in selling cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, and smokers' supplies. They frequently operate fountains. Included are cigar stands operated as concessions in pool rooms, bowling alleys, railway stations, and other public places. Packaged liquor, men's furnishings, books, magazines, and novelty merchandise are often sold, in addition to tobacco products.

NEWS DEALERS.—This classification includes stores and stands primarily engaged in the sale of newspapers, magazines, and periodicals. Frequently additional lines are carried, such as candy, tobacco, souvenirs, novelty merchandise, and toys. Magazine and newspaper subscription sales offices are not included in the census, nor are newsstands selling only newspapers.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

RETAIL SCHEDULE—Short Form

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

(Use for retailers doing a business in 1939 of less than \$20,000, except chain store units)

WASHINGTON

16-204

Supervisor's District No.	
Enumeration District No.	
Consecutive number of report	
Area Code	Card No.
(CODE—Do not use)	

CENSUS OF BUSINESS: 1939

A separate report on this form should be prepared for each retail place of business with annual sales of less than \$20,000, except chain units. All units of chains (regardless of size) and all stores of \$20,000 or greater sales volume are to be reported on Form 21 and not here. Report the full year's operations for the calendar year 1939, if possible, even if ownership has changed during the year. A 12-month period ending within a month before or after December 31, 1939, may be reported if books are kept on other than a calendar-year basis.

The operator of a leased department or concession in a store or market should show in 1-a (below) the name of the store or market in which he operates, in 1-b his own name, and in 2-a the kind of department or concession, in addition to the inquiries which follow.

1. DESCRIPTION OF ESTABLISHMENT:

- a. Name of establishment
- b. Name of owner Race (not for corporations) (White, Negro, other)
- c. Location of establishment State County Township (Or other minor civil division)
- Name of city, town, or village
- Street and number
- Is this street number located within the corporate limits of the city, town, or village named above? (Yes or No)
- d. Home-office or business address of owner (Street address) (City) (State)
- e. Legal form of organization (Place check mark in proper square.)
- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual proprietorship. | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership. | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cooperative association. | |
- f. Date (year) of original establishment of this business in this city
- g. Date of acquisition or establishment in this city under present ownership—Month Year
- h. (For grocery or grocery-meat store only.) Is the grocery department SELF-SERVICE? (Yes or No)
- i. Total number of retail establishments owned by this proprietor or organization in the United States any time during 1939 (including the one for which this report is prepared)
- If two or three, show under "Remarks" the name and address of each of the others.

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2. KIND OF BUSINESS:

- a. Kind of business (Give usual designation by which the establishment is known to the trade or public. If a leased department state kind of business of lessee AND that of main store.)
- EXAMPLES.—Grocery store, grocery-meat store, meat market, candy store, hardware store, drug store, jewelry store, women's apparel store, shoe store, florist, variety store, automobile dealer, filling station, feed store, furniture store, etc. Or: Leased meat department in grocery store, leased millinery department in department store, etc.
- b. Name the principal kinds of merchandise sold, in order of their sales importance in 1939:
- (1st) (3d)
- (2d) (4th)

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EXAMPLES.—Groceries, fresh meats, fruits, and vegetables; men's shoes, furniture, hardware, gasoline, etc.

3. TYPE OF OPERATION AND GROUP AFFILIATION: (Check one under TYPE and one under AFFILIATION.)

- | TYPE OF OPERATION
(Check only the one which applies to this business) | | AFFILIATION
(Also check one here) |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent (with 1, 2, or 3 stores in all). | <input type="checkbox"/> Farmers' cooperative operating a retail business. | <input type="checkbox"/> Affiliated with wholesaler-sponsored voluntary group. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct selling (house-to-house). | <input type="checkbox"/> Mail-order house (catalog sales). | <input type="checkbox"/> Affiliated with a retailer-owned cooperative buying group which operates a warehouse. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Market stand or stall (in or adjoining public or central market). | <input type="checkbox"/> Utility-operated store (selling at retail). | <input type="checkbox"/> Affiliated with or having ownership interest in an advertising or merchandising service organization which does not operate a warehouse. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roadside or curbside stand (not part of a public or central market). | <input type="checkbox"/> State, county, or municipal liquor store. | <input type="checkbox"/> Not affiliated with any voluntary or cooperative group. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leased department (separate operation in store of another name). | <input type="checkbox"/> Military post exchange or canteen on Federal property. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer cooperative (owned and operated by consumers). | <input type="checkbox"/> Company store (commissary of industrial, mining, or lumbering company). | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) | |
- (Do not report a chain store unit on this form. Use Form 21.)
- (Check BOTH type and affiliation.)

4. NET SALES:

(Sales should be reported **exclusive** of local sales taxes and State sales taxes which are collected by you directly from customers over and above the marked selling price, and paid by you directly to any local or State taxing agency.)

a. Sales of merchandise (deduct returned goods and allowances, but do not deduct allowance for trade-ins taken as part payment for new merchandise).....	(Omit cents)	Key
b. Sales of meals and fountain or bar (bottled or packaged goods should be included under 4-a).....		B-1
c. Rental receipts from cabins and rooms in tourist courts, camps, etc.....		B-2
d. Receipts from repairs, storage, and other services.....		B-3
e. TOTAL RECEIPTS (total of a to d, inclusive).....		B-4
		A-1
		B-5
f. SALES TAX—In addition to total receipts reported above, what was the total amount of sales taxes collected by you directly from customers and paid by you directly to any local or State taxing agency?.....	12..... 13..... CODE—Do not use	A-2 B-6
g. CREDIT SALES—How much of total receipts (4-e above) represents sales on credit?.....		B-7

5. PROPRIETORS, FIRM MEMBERS, AND MEMBERS OF FAMILY (does not apply to corporations):

a. Number of proprietors and firm members devoting major portion of their time to the business, whether or not paid a regular salary or regular drawing account.....		A-3
b. Members of family of proprietors or firm members (wives or husbands, sons, daughters, etc.) who are regularly working in the business, full-time or part-time, but who are paid no stipulated wage or salary	Full-time (Number) Part-time (Number)	A-4 A-5
(Members of family who are paid a daily or weekly wage or regular salary should be included in inquiry 6 below, and not here.)		
c. Paid proprietors and firm members, whether included in 5-a and whether active in the business or not, who are paid a regular salary or drawing account.....	Number..... Salary or amount withdrawn for year 1939.. \$.....	A-6 A-7
	(Omit cents)	

6. EMPLOYMENT AND PAY ROLL (except self-employment):

a. Total pay roll for the year 1939—salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions.....	(Omit cents)	A-8																																										
If a corporation, include amount paid to officers and executives; if an unincorporated business, do not include here the amount reported in 5-c above. Report as pay roll the full amount of salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions, before deductions for Social Security, insurance, dues, etc. Do not include payments in kind, such as free meals, lodging, etc.																																												
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d. Number of all paid employees on pay roll for period ended nearest 15th of each month: (Do not include here the proprietors and firm members reported in inquiry 5.)																																												
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e. Of the total number of employees shown above for one pay roll in October (full time and part time combined) how many are.....	Males Females	C1-14 C1-15																																										

7. STOCKS ON HAND AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

a. Inventory of merchandise on hand, at cost value as of December 31, 1939, or nearest inventory date.....	(Omit cents)	A-12 XA-13 XB-8 to 11
(If taken at retail, report only the cost equivalent or wholesale market value of stock on hand.)		
b. Accounts and notes receivable from customers, outstanding on the books of this business as of December 31, 1939..... (total) \$.....		B-12 XB-13 XB-14 XB-15

8. ANALYSIS OF SALES BY COMMODITIES: *(Please omit cents)*

Select the block below which applies to your particular kind of business, or use block 6 if no other applies. Report completely the several commodity classifications in the block selected. If none, report "NONE." Do not report items in any other block. See that total below agrees with total sales reported in inquiry 4-e above.

1 FOR GROCERY STORES, MEAT MARKETS, FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS, AND COUNTRY GENERAL STORES ONLY		Key
Meats (all kinds), sea food, poultry.....	\$.....	11
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	\$.....	12
Other foods (include soft drinks, candy, nuts, bakery goods, milk, eggs, etc.).....	\$.....	13
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	14
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	15
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	16
Meals and fountain or bar.....	\$.....	17
Gasoline, oil, tires, etc.....	\$.....	18
Other nonfood merchandise.....	\$.....	21
All service receipts, including cabin or tourist room rental.....	\$.....	22
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		
Do you sell fresh meats?.....		
Is the store self-service?..... (Yes or No)		

2 FOR DELICATESSEN STORES, CONFECTIONERY STORES, CANDY AND NUT STORES ONLY		Key
Delicatessen meats, salads, etc.....	\$.....	11
Fresh meats, sea food, poultry.....	\$.....	12
Candy, nuts, confectionery.....	\$.....	13
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	14
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	15
Groceries, soft drinks, milk, bakery goods, fruits, vegetables, etc.....	\$.....	16
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	17
Meals and fountain or bar.....	\$.....	18
Gasoline, oil, tires, etc.....	\$.....	21
Nonfood sales and service receipts.....	\$.....	22
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		

3 FOR EATING AND DRINKING PLACES AND REFRESHMENT STANDS ONLY		Key
(Including ice cream and fruit juice stands)		
Sale of meals.....	\$.....	11
Fountain or bar sales (including fruit juices and ice cream).....	\$.....	12
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	13
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	14
Gasoline, oil, tires, etc.....	\$.....	15
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	16
Candy, soft drinks, groceries, or other foods sold for consumption off premises.....	\$.....	17
Nonfood sales.....	\$.....	18
All service receipts, including cabin or tourist room rental.....	\$.....	21
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		

4 FOR DRUG STORES AND CIGAR STORES OR STANDS ONLY		Key
Prescriptions*.....	\$.....	11
Drugs, sundries, cosmetics, toiletries, etc.....	\$.....	12
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	13
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	14
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	15
Meals and fountain.....	\$.....	16
Merchandise sales (include here candy, soft drinks, etc.).....	\$.....	17
All service receipts.....	\$.....	18
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		
*Drug stores—Number of pharmacists employed (include proprietor if a pharmacist).....		21

5 FOR FILLING STATIONS AND GARAGES SELLING PRINCIPALLY GASOLINE, OIL, ETC		Key
(Garages whose principal receipts are from repairs, storage, and service must be reported on Service schedule and not here)		
Gasoline.....	\$.....	11
Oil, grease.....	\$.....	12
Fuel oil, kerosene.....	\$.....	13
Tires, batteries, radios, auto supplies.....	\$.....	14
Meals and fountain or bar.....	\$.....	15
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	16
Other merchandise.....	\$.....	17
Greasing, washing, and service receipts.....	\$.....	18
Cabin or tourist room rental.....	\$.....	21
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		
Gallons of gasoline sold during 1939.....	gals.	22
Gallons of lubricating oils sold during 1939.....	gals.	23
(Include as other merchandise all groceries, soft drinks, and foods not sold at fountain or bar.)		

6 FOR ALL STORES NOT PROVIDED FOR IN OTHER BOXES ABOVE		Key
Kind of business.....		
Groceries, meats, all foods including bottled soft drinks.....	\$.....	11
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	12
Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	13
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	14
Meals and fountain or bar.....	\$.....	15
Gasoline, oil, grease.....	\$.....	16
Automobiles, used cars, tires, auto accessories.....	\$.....	17
Apparel, clothing, accessories, shoes, dry goods.....	\$.....	18
Furniture, household goods, radios, pianos, etc.....	\$.....	21
Fuel, fuel oil, ice.....	\$.....	22
Jewelry, optical goods, cameras, toys, etc.....	\$.....	23
Stationery, books, magazines, newspapers.....	\$.....	24
Lumber, building materials, hardware, tools, paints, etc.....	\$.....	25
Drugs, sundries, cosmetics, toiletries, etc.....	\$.....	26
Hay, grain, feed, seeds, fertilizers, cut flowers.....	\$.....	27
Any commodity not provided for above (specify).....	\$.....	28
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.....	\$.....	32
All service receipts including cabin or tourist room rental.....	\$.....	33
TOTAL RECEIPTS.....		

REMARKS:

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CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the information contained in this schedule is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and covers the period from, 19....., to, 19.....

.....
(Signature and official title of person furnishing the information).....
(Signature of enumerator).....
(Date of signature)

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

CONFIDENTIAL CENSUS REPORT

Your report is required by Act of Congress. This Act also makes it unlawful for the Bureau to disclose any facts, including names or identity, from your census reports. Only sworn census employees will see your statements. Data collected will be used solely for preparing statistical information concerning the Nation's population, resources, and business activities. Your Census Reports Cannot Be Used for Purposes of Taxation, Regulation, or Investigation.

FORM 21

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

WASHINGTON

16-205

RETAIL SCHEDULE

(All retailers except those with sales of less than \$20,000. If this schedule covers more than one store attach also Form 21A.)

Supervisor's District No.	
Enumeration District No.	
Consecutive number of Report	
Area Code	Card No.
(CODE—Do not use)	

CENSUS OF BUSINESS : 1939

A separate report should be prepared for each retail place of business. Use Form 20 for those with sales under \$20,000 except chain units. Use Form 21 for all others. But when two or more places in the same kind of business under the same ownership or management are located in one city (or town of more than 2,500 population) or two or more are located in one county outside the corporate limits of such cities or towns, they may be reported on this form as a single consolidated return provided a listing sheet (Form 21A) is attached on which all stores in such consolidated return are listed. However, no store with sales exceeding \$100,000 may be included in a consolidated return, but must be reported separately.

The operator of a leased department or concession in a store or market should show in 1-a (below) the name of the store or market in which he operates, in 1-b his own name and in 2-a the kind of department or concession, in addition to the inquiries which follow. No consolidated report can be accepted covering leased departments.

Report the full year's operations for the calendar year 1939, if possible, even if ownership has changed during the year. A 12-month period ending within a month before or after December 31, 1939, may be reported if books are kept on other than a calendar-year basis.

1. DESCRIPTION OF ESTABLISHMENT:

- a. Name of establishment
- b. Name of owner Race (not for corporations)
(White, Negro, other)
- c. Location of establishment... { State County Township
Name of city, town, or village
Street and number
Is this street number located within the corporate limits
of the city, town, or village named above? (Yes or No)
d. Home office or business address of owner
(Street address) (City) (State)
- e. Legal form of organization { ☐ Individual proprietorship. ☐ Corporation.
(Place check mark in proper square.) ☐ Partnership. ☐ Other (specify)
☐ Cooperative association.
- f. Date (year) of original establishment of this business in this city
- g. Date of acquisition or establishment in this city under
present ownership—Month Year
- h. (For grocery or grocery-meat store only.) Is the grocery department SELF-SERVICE? (Yes or No)
- i. Total number of retail establishments owned by this proprietor or organization in the United States any
time during 1939 (including the one for which this report is prepared)
(If two or three, show under "Remarks" the name and address of each of the others.)

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2. KIND OF BUSINESS:

- a. Kind of business
(Give usual designation by which the establishment is known to the trade or public. If a leased department, state kind of business of lessee AND that of main store.)
EXAMPLES.—Grocery store, grocery-meat store, meat market, candy store, hardware store, drug store, jewelry store, women's apparel store, shoe store, department store, variety store, automobile dealer, filling station, feed store, furniture store, florist, etc. Or: Leased meat department in grocery store, leased millinery department in department store, etc.
- b. Name the principal kinds of merchandise sold, in order of their sales importance in 1939:
(1st) (3d)
(2d) (4th)

EXAMPLES.—Groceries, fresh meats, fruits and vegetables, men's shoes, furniture, hardware, gasoline, etc.

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(CODE—Do not use)

3. TYPE OF OPERATION AND GROUP AFFILIATION (check one under TYPE and one under AFFILIATION):

TYPE OF OPERATION

(Check only the one which applies to your business)

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent (with 1, 2, or 3 stores in all). | <input type="checkbox"/> Farmers' cooperative operating a retail business. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chain unit (part of retail chain of four or more units). | <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturer chain (stores owned and operated directly by manufacturer). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct selling (house-to-house). | <input type="checkbox"/> Mail-order house (catalog sales). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Market stand or stall (in or adjoining public or central market). | <input type="checkbox"/> Utility-operated store (selling at retail). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roadside or curbside stand (not part of a public or central market). | <input type="checkbox"/> State, county, or municipal liquor store. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roadside or curbside stand (not part of a public or central market). | <input type="checkbox"/> Military post exchange or canteen on Federal property. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leased department (separate operation in store of another name). | <input type="checkbox"/> Company store (commissary of industrial, mining or lumbering company). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer cooperative (owned and operated by consumers). | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) |

AFFILIATION

(Also check one here)

- ☐ Affiliated with wholesaler-sponsored voluntary group.
- ☐ Affiliated with a retailer-owned cooperative buying group which operates a warehouse.
- ☐ Affiliated with or having ownership interest in an advertising or merchandising service organization which does not operate a warehouse.
- ☐ Not affiliated with any voluntary or cooperative group.

Check BOTH type and affiliation.

Note.—Local multi-units (2 or 3 stores) should be reported as independents. Local chains (of 4 or more units) should be reported as chains. Local branch systems (large main store with smaller branches in same city or nearby suburbs, merchandised from main store) should be reported above under "Other."

4. NET SALES (sales should be reported *exclusive* of local sales taxes and State sales taxes which are collected by you directly from customers over and above the marked selling price, and paid by you directly to any local or State taxing agency):

- (Omit cents)
- a.** Sales of merchandise (deduct returned goods and allowances, but do not deduct allowance for trade-ins taken as part payment for new merchandise)..... \$.....
- b.** Sales of meals and fountain or bar..... \$.....
(Bottled or packaged goods should be included under 4-a.)
- c.** Receipts from repairs, storage, tourist room rental and other services..... \$.....
- d.** TOTAL NET SALES (total of a, b, and c)..... \$.....

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B-2
XB-3
B-4
A-1
B-5

- e. SALES TAX.**—In addition to net sales reported above, what was the total amount of sales taxes collected by you directly from customers and paid by you directly to any local or State taxing agency?..... \$.....

- f. SALES FOR RESALE.**—How much of the amount reported in 4-d above represents sales to other retailers for resale?..... \$.....

- g. CREDIT SALES.**—How much of total net sales (4-d above) represents—
(1) Sales on open account (weekly, end-of-month or other open charge accounts)..... \$.....
(If none, report "None.")

- (2) Sales on installment or deferred payment plans..... \$.....
(Include down payment as well as amount deferred; trade-ins accepted as part payment should be regarded as part of down payment; should represent total installment sales regardless of whether the paper is discounted or sold or held. If none, report "None.")

- (3) Cash and c. o. d. sales (do not include as cash sales the down payment on installment sales)..... \$.....

- TOTAL (must agree with 4-d above)..... \$.....

- (4) How much of installment sales (subitem 2 above) was—

- (a) Down payment—cash and trade-in allowance?..... \$.....

- (b) Amount deferred?..... \$.....

h. LEASED DEPARTMENTS—

- (1) If any sales of leased departments or concessions *are included* in your total net sales as reported above (4-d) state how much..... \$.....

- (2) If leased departments or concessions operated in the store are *not included* in this report, please state or estimate total sales in 1939 of all such departments or concessions..... \$.....

- and report names of operators.....

(CODE—Do not use)

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(If more space is required for names and addresses of such operators please attach separate list. The purpose of this inquiry is to insure that leased department sales are included in the Census and properly credited to the total business of this store and city.)

5. PROPRIETORS, FIRM MEMBERS, AND MEMBERS OF FAMILY (does not apply to corporations):

- a.** Number of proprietors and firm members devoting the major portion of their time to the business, whether or not paid a regular salary or regular drawing account..... A-3

- b.** Members of family of proprietors or firm members (wives or husbands, sons, daughters, etc.) who are regularly working in the business, full-time or part-time, but who are paid *no stipulated wage or salary*..... A-4
(Members of family who are paid a daily or weekly wage or regular salary should be included in inquiry 6 below, and not here.)

- c.** Paid proprietors and firm members, whether included in 5-a and whether active in the business or not, who are paid a regular salary or drawing account..... A-5
Number..... A-6
Salary or amount withdrawn for year 1939..... A-7

6. EMPLOYMENT AND PAY ROLL (except self-employment):

- a.** Total pay roll for the year 1939—salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions..... \$..... A-8
(If a corporation, include amount paid to officers and executives; if an unincorporated business, do not include here the amount reported in 6-c above. Report as pay roll the full amount of salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions, before deductions for Social Security, insurance, dues, etc. Do not include payments in kind, such as free meals, lodging, etc.)

- b.** How much of total pay roll shown in 6-a above was paid to FULL-TIME employees as defined below (see definition under 6-d below)?..... \$.....

- c.** How much of total pay roll shown in 6-a above was paid to PART-TIME employees (all who work less than the full workweek) as defined below?..... \$..... A-9
(Omit cents)

- d.** Number of all paid employees on pay roll for period ended nearest 15th of each month:

(Do not include here the proprietors and firm members reported in Inquiry 5.)

Item	Jan. C-1	Feb. C-2	Mar. C-3	Apr. C-4	May C-5	June C-6	July C-7	Aug. C-8	Sept. C-9	Oct. C-10	Nov. C-11	Dec. C-12	(Do not use) C-13
Full-time as defined below ¹	1												
Part-time as defined below ¹	2												

A-10

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¹ Full-time employees are those who work or are paid for the full number of hours of the workweek. Also report as full-time employees, extras and contingents who worked the full number of hours during the particular week for which employment data are requested. All others should be reported as part-time employees.

14.....
(CODE—Do not use)

- e.** Of the total number of employees shown above for one pay roll in October (full-time and part-time combined) how many are—
Males..... C1-14
Females..... C1-15

(Omit cents)

7. STOCKS ON HAND, AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

- a. Inventory of merchandise on hand at cost value as of December 31 or nearest inventory date.....
(If taken at retail, report only the cost equivalent or wholesale market value of stock on hand.)
- b. Accounts and notes receivable from customers, outstanding on the books of this business as of December 31..... (total)
- c. How much of the total outstanding (7-b above) represents balance on installment accounts (not including accounts sold to finance companies, banks, or others).....

December 31, 1939		December 31, 1938	
	Key		Key
\$.....	A-12	\$.....	A-13
\$.....	B-12	\$.....	B-13
\$.....	B-14	\$.....	B-15

(Show here the amount payable to this business on installment accounts, regardless of whether due or not due. If none, report "NONE.")

8. EMPLOYMENT AND PAY ROLL DURING A TYPICAL WEEK:

(The purpose of this inquiry is to show the analysis of a normal pay roll by classifications. Give figures for week ending October 21, 1939. For highly seasonal businesses, report instead one week of normal employment during active season. Report pay roll in accordance with definition under 6-a above.)

Week covered: From, 1939 to, 1939.

CLASSIFICATION (Do not include here persons reported in inquiry 5 above)		FULL-TIME				PART-TIME			
		Number of paid full-time employees during week		Pay roll for the week for full-time employees (salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions earned)		Number of paid part-time employees during week		Pay roll for the week for part-time employees (salaries, wages, bonuses, and commissions earned)	
			Key	(One week only)	Key		Key	(One week only)	Key
a. Executives and salaried corporation officers. (Do not include here proprietors reported in 5-c above).....	D		1	\$.....	2	x x x x x x x x		x x x x x x x x	
b. Managerial and supervisory employees..... (Include buyers or department managers, subexecutives, and chain-store managers.)	D		3	\$.....	4		5	\$.....	6
c. Office and clerical employees, not including selling employees.....	D		7	\$.....	8		9	\$.....	10
d. Selling employees (include fountain dispensers and bartenders but not waiters and waitresses).....	D		11	\$.....	12		13	\$.....	14
e. Waiters and waitresses..... (For all places serving food or drinks.)	E		1	\$.....	2		3	\$.....	4
f. All other employees.....	E		5	\$.....	6		7	\$.....	8
g. TOTAL number, and amount of pay roll for the week (total of a to f, inclusive).....	E		9	\$.....	10		11	\$.....	12
				(Omit cents)				(Omit cents)	

CAUTION.—Pay rolls kept on other than weekly basis, as well as bonuses and commissions, should be converted to weekly equivalent. Full-time employees as reported above should be only those who conform to the full-time definition under inquiry 6-d.

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Do not use

9. ANALYSIS OF SALES BY COMMODITIES:

On the pages which follow please report carefully an analysis of your sales by commodities. Select the block which applies to your particular kind of business, and report **completely** the commodities listed therein. Use block 36 for secondary commodities and service receipts. Total should agree with sales reported in inquiry 4-d above. PLEASE OMIT CENTS.

REMARKS:

CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the information contained in this schedule is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and covers the period from, 19....., to, 19.....

(Signature and official title of person furnishing the information)

(Date of signature)

(Signature of enumerator)

(CODE—Do not use)	State	County	City	Area Code	Sch. No.
	5	6	8	9	12

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ANALYSIS OF SALES BY COMMODITIES

Total sales for 1939, per inquiry 4-d above..... \$.....

1. Select the block below which applies to your particular kind of business. Check the kind of business and report **completely** the sales of each commodity specified in the block. Write "NONE" opposite any items in the block not sold in your store.
2. Commodity sales and other receipts **not specified** in the selected block should be combined and shown as "Other sales."
3. Block 36 is provided for reporting the sales of items not specified in the special blocks. The amount shown in the selected block as "Other sales" should be carried over to block 36 and reported in detail for all stores in which this item **amounts to more than 5 percent of total sales**.

USE ONLY the one block selected, and block 36. Disregard all other blocks.

FOOD GROUP

11 <input type="checkbox"/> Grocery store. <input type="checkbox"/> Fish market. <input type="checkbox"/> Coffee, tea, spice store, or distributor. <input type="checkbox"/> Combination (grocery-meat) store. <input type="checkbox"/> Fruit store or vegetable market. <input type="checkbox"/> Tea route. <input type="checkbox"/> Meat market.	Key Meats (all kinds), sea food, poultry..... \$..... 11 Fresh fruits and vegetables..... \$..... 12 Milk, eggs, dairy products, ice cream..... \$..... 13 Bread, bakery goods..... \$..... 14 Liquors (packaged goods)..... \$..... 15 Beer, wine (bottled or canned)..... \$..... 16 Groceries and foods not specified above (include soft drinks, candy, nuts, canned goods, etc.)..... \$..... 17 Other sales (show details in block 36, items 18 to 56). \$..... 18 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$..... Do you sell fresh meats? (Yes or No)..... Is the grocery department self-service? (Yes or No).....
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EATING AND DRINKING PLACES

14 <input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant (table service). <input type="checkbox"/> Cafeteria. <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch counter. <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch room. <input type="checkbox"/> Refreshment (food stand). <input type="checkbox"/> Diner. <input type="checkbox"/> Drinking place with meals. <input type="checkbox"/> Bar. <input type="checkbox"/> Soft drink or fruit juice stand. <input type="checkbox"/> Bottled water. <input type="checkbox"/> Cafe or grill. <input type="checkbox"/> Fountain. <input type="checkbox"/> Ice cream, frozen custard, milk or buttermilk stand or cart.	Key Sale of meals..... \$..... 11 Fountain or bar sales..... \$..... 12 Liquors (packaged goods only)..... \$..... 13 Beer, wine (bottled or canned)..... \$..... 14 Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco..... \$..... 15 Ice cream, frozen custard, milk, sandwiches, or other edibles sold from stand or cart..... \$..... 16 Candy, soft drinks, groceries, or other foods sold for consumption off premises..... \$..... 17 Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 14 to 21)..... \$..... 18 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....
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12 <input type="checkbox"/> Candy store. <input type="checkbox"/> Delicatessen store. <input type="checkbox"/> Nut store. <input type="checkbox"/> Confectionery store. <input type="checkbox"/> Caterer. <input type="checkbox"/> Bakery-goods store.	Key Candy, nuts, confectionery..... \$..... 11 Delicatessen meats, salads, etc..... \$..... 12 Fresh meats, sea food, poultry..... \$..... 13 Bakery goods, bread..... \$..... 14 Outside catering (all foods)..... \$..... 15 Liquors (packaged goods)..... \$..... 16 Beer, wine (bottled or canned)..... \$..... 17 Groceries, fruits and vegetables, soft drinks, milk, dairy products..... \$..... 18 Other sales (show details in block 36, items 18 to 56). \$..... 21 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....
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DRUG AND CIGAR STORES

15 <input type="checkbox"/> Drug store <i>without</i> fountain. <input type="checkbox"/> Cigar store. <input type="checkbox"/> Drug store <i>with</i> fountain. <input type="checkbox"/> Cigar stand. <input type="checkbox"/> Packaged medicines, perfumes, cosmetics (store or vendor).	Key Prescriptions*..... \$..... 11 Drugs, medicines, chemicals, compounds..... \$..... 12 Drug sundries, rubber goods, surgical supplies..... \$..... 13 Toilet preparations, toilet articles, soaps..... \$..... 14 Liquors (packaged goods only)..... \$..... 15 Beer, wine (bottled or canned)..... \$..... 16 Candy, nuts, groceries, soft drinks, etc..... \$..... 17 Meals and fountain..... \$..... 18 Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco..... \$..... 21 Other sales (show details in block 36, items 24 to 56). \$..... 22 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$..... *Drug stores—Number of pharmacists employed (include proprietor if a pharmacist)..... 23
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13 <input type="checkbox"/> Dairy products store. <input type="checkbox"/> Ice cream store (for stand use 14). <input type="checkbox"/> Egg and poultry dealer. <input type="checkbox"/> Milk dealer.	Key Milk and cream..... \$..... 11 Ice cream, frozen custard, etc..... \$..... 12 Other dairy products..... \$..... 13 Eggs..... \$..... 14 Poultry..... \$..... 15 Groceries, bakery goods, fruit juices, soft drinks, etc..... \$..... 16 Other sales (show details in block 36, items 15 to 56). \$..... 17 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....
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LIQUOR STORES

16 <input type="checkbox"/> Liquor store (retail package store).	Key Liquors and other spirits..... \$..... 11 Wines..... \$..... 12 Beer and ale..... \$..... 13 Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 16 to 17)..... \$..... 14 TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....
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CENSUS OF BUSINESS

GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP

(Except department stores, mail-order and large variety stores)

17 ☐ Dry goods store (under \$100,000).
☐ Piece-goods store. ☐ Embroidery, needlework store.
☐ General merchandise store (under \$100,000).
☐ Variety store (5 and 10, etc.) under \$100,000.
 (Do not use this block for any store over \$100,000—Use block 35, page 8.)

	Key
Men's clothing, furnishings (including boys')..... \$.....	11
Women's apparel, accessories (including girls', infants')..... \$.....	12
Shoes and rubber footwear..... \$.....	13
Dry goods and other soft goods, bedding, embroidery, needlework, patterns, notions, etc..... \$.....	14
Furniture, floor coverings, radio, household appliances (refrigerators, washers, ironers, cleaners, etc.), lamps, pictures, housewares..... \$.....	15
Building materials, hardware, paint, etc..... \$.....	16
Drugs, medicines..... \$.....	17
Cosmetics and toiletries..... \$.....	18
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco..... \$.....	21
Farm implements, farm supplies, feed, seeds, etc..... \$.....	22
Foods of all kinds, including candy, confectionery, beverages..... \$.....	23
Other sales (show details in block 36, items 24 to 31, 42 to 45, and 52 to 56)..... \$.....	24
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

18 ☐ Country general store (with food).
☐ Country general store (without food).

	Key
Foods of all kinds (include candy, soft drinks, etc.)..... \$.....	11
Liquors (bottled goods)..... \$.....	12
Beer, wine (bottled or canned)..... \$.....	13
Meals and fountain or bar..... \$.....	14
Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco..... \$.....	15
Drugs, cosmetics, toiletries..... \$.....	16
Gasoline, oil, tires, etc..... \$.....	17
Dry goods, apparel, clothing, shoes..... \$.....	18
Other sales (show details in block 36, items 36 to 56)..... \$.....	21
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

STORES WITH SALES EXCEEDING \$100,000

- ☐ Department store. ☐ Mail-order house.
☐ Variety store (over \$100,000).
☐ General merchandise store with sales over \$100,000.
 (Report sales by departments in block 35, page 8.)

APPAREL GROUP

19 ☐ Women's ready-to-wear store. ☐ Hat store.
☐ Family clothing store. ☐ Infants'-wear shop.
☐ Men's (and boys') store.
☐ Millinery, fur, corset, hosiery, or other specialty store (specify).....

	Key
Men's and boys' clothing..... \$.....	11
Men's and boys' furnishings, hats..... \$.....	12
Women's and misses' coats, suits..... \$.....	13
Women's and misses' dresses..... \$.....	14
Fur garments, furs..... \$.....	15
Hosiery..... \$.....	16
Millinery..... \$.....	17
Corsets, brassieres, etc..... \$.....	18
Handbags, underwear, and other accessories..... \$.....	21
Shoes and rubber footwear..... \$.....	22
Infants' wear..... \$.....	23
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 32 to 34)..... \$.....	24
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

20 Shoe store: ☐ Men's ☐ Women's ☐ Family

	Key
Men's, boys', youths' leather footwear..... \$.....	11
Women's, girls', misses' leather footwear..... \$.....	12
Rubber footwear..... \$.....	13
Hosiery, bags, other accessories..... \$.....	14
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 33 and 34)..... \$.....	15
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

21 ☐ Custom tailor. ☐ Dressmaker.
 (Cleaning and pressing and repair tailor shops are to be reported on service schedule only.)

	Key
Custom-made men's wear..... \$.....	11
Custom-made women's apparel..... \$.....	12
Men's and boys' ready-made clothing..... \$.....	13
Women's ready-to-wear apparel..... \$.....	14
Accessories and shoes..... \$.....	15
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 32 to 34. Report repairs and other services in item 56)..... \$.....	16
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

AUTOMOTIVE GROUP

22 ☐ Motor-vehicle dealer. ☐ Used-car dealer.
☐ Motorcycle-bicycle dealer. ☐ Auto supply store.
☐ Motorboat, yacht, boat dealer. ☐ Aircraft dealer.

	Key
Motor vehicles, new..... \$.....	11
Used cars and trucks..... \$.....	12
Tractors..... \$.....	13
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment..... \$.....	14
Gasoline, oil, grease..... \$.....	15
Fuel oil (domestic heating)..... \$.....	16
Tires, batteries, radios, auto supplies..... \$.....	17
Motorcycles, parts, and supplies..... \$.....	18
Bicycles, parts, and supplies..... \$.....	21
Aircraft for private (noncommercial) use..... \$.....	22
Motorboats, yachts, canoes, etc., for private use..... \$.....	23
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 24 to 31, 43, 51)..... \$.....	24
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	

23 ☐ Filling station. ☐ Tire company superstation.
☐ Superstation or garage whose sales of gasoline, oil, tires, auto supplies, and vehicles exceed receipts from repairs, storage, and service. (If repairs, storage, and service exceed 50%, report on service schedule.)

	Key
Gasoline..... \$.....	11
Oil, grease..... \$.....	12
Fuel oil (domestic heating)..... \$.....	13
Tires, batteries, radios, auto supplies..... \$.....	14
Motor vehicles of all kinds, new or used..... \$.....	15
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 24 to 31. Report repairs, greasing, and other services in item 56.)..... \$.....	16
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d..... \$.....	
Gallons of gasoline sold during 1939..... gal.	17
Gallons of lubricating oils sold during 1939..... gal.	18

FURNITURE-HOUSEHOLD GROUP

24 ☐ Furniture store. ☐ Furniture-hardware.
☐ Floor coverings store. ☐ Furniture-undertaker.
☐ Interior decorator. ☐ Used-furniture store.
☐ Awning, shade, tent shop. ☐ Stove and range dealer.
☐ Antique shop. ☐ Flag and banner shop.
☐ Pictures and framing store. ☐ Lamp and shade shop.
☐ Drapery, curtain, upholstery store.
☐ China, glassware, crockery, kitchenware store or direct distributor (include here brushes, brooms, etc.)

Furniture (except office), including mattresses and springs.....	\$.....	11
Office furniture.....	\$.....	12
Floor coverings.....	\$.....	13
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	\$.....	14
China, glassware, crockery, kitchenware, brushes, etc.....	\$.....	15
Pianos, musical instruments, music, phonographs, records.....	\$.....	16
Radio, television sets and parts.....	\$.....	17
Household appliances (electric or gas).....	\$.....	18
Silverware, objects of art.....	\$.....	21
Pictures, frames, lamps, and shades.....	\$.....	22
Luggage, sporting goods, bicycles, toys.....	\$.....	23
Stoves, ranges (including electric and gas), burners, stokers.....	\$.....	24
Hardware, tools, paint, glass, wallpaper.....	\$.....	25
Awnings, shades, tents, flags, banners.....	\$.....	26
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 36 to 43 and 48. Report undertaker service revenue in item 56).....	\$.....	27
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES, RADIO, MUSIC

25 ☐ Radio-music dealer. ☐ Radio store. ☐ Music store.
☐ Piano-musical instruments store.
☐ Household appliances and radio store.
☐ Dealer or sales office for refrigerator, cleaner, cooker, sewing machine, burner, stoker, or other household appliance, including air-conditioning equipment.

Radio, television sets; parts.....	\$.....	11
Pianos, musical instruments, music, phonographs and records.....	\$.....	12
Household appliances (electric or gas).....	\$.....	13
Stoves, ranges (including electric and gas).....	\$.....	14
Burners, stokers, air-conditioners.....	\$.....	15
Luggage, sporting goods, bicycles, toys.....	\$.....	16
Cameras, projectors, photo equipment and supplies.....	\$.....	17
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 37 to 43 and 48.).....	\$.....	18
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

LUMBER, BUILDING MATERIALS, HARDWARE GROUP

26 ☐ Retail lumber yard. ☐ Hardware-furniture store.
☐ Hardware store. ☐ Building material dealer (including roofing.)
☐ Hardware-farm implement dealer.
☐ Paint, glass, wallpaper store. ☐ Electrical supply store.
☐ Heating and plumbing equipment dealer (Report oil burner in No. 25.)

Building materials, roofing.....	\$.....	11
Planing-mill products, cabinet work.....	\$.....	12
Hardware, tools, paint, glass, wallpaper.....	\$.....	13
Coal, coke, wood, ice.....	\$.....	14
Fuel oil (domestic heating).....	\$.....	15
Gasoline, oil, grease.....	\$.....	16
Hay, grain, feed, fertilizers, farm and garden supplies.....	\$.....	17
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	\$.....	18
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment.....	\$.....	21
Stoves, ranges (including electric and gas), burners, stokers.....	\$.....	22
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	\$.....	23
Lighting, electrical supplies (except household appliances).....	\$.....	24
Household appliances (electric and gas).....	\$.....	25
Furniture, floor coverings, draperies, shades, etc.....	\$.....	26
Other home furnishings (china, glassware, kitchenware, etc.).....	\$.....	27
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 24, 25, 36, 41, and 45 to 51).....	\$.....	28
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

JEWELRY, LUGGAGE, SPORTING GOODS

27 ☐ Jewelry store. ☐ Credit jewelry store.
☐ Luggage store. ☐ Sporting goods store.
☐ Camera store. ☐ Optician or optical goods store.
☐ Optometrists (sales only).

Jewelry (except items below).....	\$.....	11
Diamonds and precious stones.....	\$.....	12
Watches, clocks, silverware.....	\$.....	13
Novelty and costume jewelry.....	\$.....	14
Cameras, projectors, films, photo equipment, and supplies.....	\$.....	15
Optical goods, frames, lenses.....	\$.....	16
Luggage and leather goods.....	\$.....	17
Sporting goods, games, toys, bicycles.....	\$.....	18
Radios, television sets, and parts.....	\$.....	21
Pianos, musical instruments, phonographs, music.....	\$.....	22
Household appliances (electric and gas).....	\$.....	23
Books, magazines, stationery, etc.....	\$.....	24
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 37 to 44. Report repairs, developing and printing, and other services in item 56).....	\$.....	25
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

OTHER RETAIL STORES

28 ☐ Fuel and ice dealer. ☐ Ice dealer.
☐ Coal and feed store. ☐ Coal or wood yard.
☐ Fuel oil dealer.

Coal, coke, wood.....	\$.....	11
Ice.....	\$.....	12
Fuel oil (domestic heating).....	\$.....	13
Hay, grain, feed, fertilizers.....	\$.....	14
Seeds, bulbs, nursery stock.....	\$.....	15
Oil burners, furnaces, stokers.....	\$.....	16
Ice refrigerators.....	\$.....	17
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 25, 41, 45, 46, and 48. Report burner service receipts in item 56).....	\$.....	18
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

29 ☐ Hay, grain and feed store *with* groceries.
☐ Hay, grain and feed store *without* groceries.
☐ Farm and garden supply store. ☐ Fertilizer dealer.

Hay, grain, and other feeds.....	\$.....	11
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	\$.....	12
Fertilizers.....	\$.....	13
Farm and garden implements and equipment.....	\$.....	14
Groceries, meats, packaged foods, all edibles, all beverages.....	\$.....	15
Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 11 to 17 and 46).....	\$.....	16
TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		

Key

CENSUS OF BUSINESS

OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued

30	<input type="checkbox"/> Florist.	<input type="checkbox"/> Seed store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Pet shop.	Key
	Cut flowers, wreaths, displays.....	\$.....		11
	Potted growing plants.....	\$.....		12
	Seeds, bulbs, nursery stock.....	\$.....		13
	Hay, grain, feed, fertilizers.....	\$.....		14
	Pets (animals, fish, etc.) and supplies.....	\$.....		15
	Other sales (show details in block 36, except item 46).....	\$.....		16
	TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....			\$.....

31	<input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle shop.	<input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle-bicycle dealer.	Key
	Bicycles, luggage, sporting goods, toys.....	\$.....	11
	Motorcycles, parts, and supplies.....	\$.....	12
	Tires, batteries, auto radios, auto supplies.....	\$.....	13
	Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 28, 31, and 43. Report repairs and services in item 56).....	\$.....	14
	TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....		\$.....

32	<input type="checkbox"/> Book store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Rare or used-book store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Toy shop.	<input type="checkbox"/> News dealer.	<input type="checkbox"/> Stationer and printer.	<input type="checkbox"/> Art dealer.	<input type="checkbox"/> Gift, novelty, souvenir shop.	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious goods store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Philatelist (stamps, coins, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stationery (small), school supplies, candy, etc.	Key
	Books.....	\$.....									11
	Rare books, prints, manuscripts.....	\$.....									12
	Second-hand books.....	\$.....									13
	Gifts, novelties, souvenirs, toys.....	\$.....									14
	Stamps, coins, collectors' supplies.....	\$.....									15
	Newspapers, magazines.....	\$.....									16
	Candy, nuts, confectionery.....	\$.....									17
	Religious (church) goods.....	\$.....									18
	Stationery, printed forms.....	\$.....									21
	Printing on order.....	\$.....									22
	Other sales (show details in block 36, except items 43 and 44).....	\$.....									23
	TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....										\$.....

33	<input type="checkbox"/> Store and office equipment dealer.	<input type="checkbox"/> Typewriter store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific, medical instruments and supplies.	Key
	Typewriters, parts, and supplies.....	\$.....		11
	Store and office machine equipment and supplies.....	\$.....		12
	Surgical and hospital equipment and supplies.....	\$.....		13
	Store and office furniture and fixtures.....	\$.....		14
	Stationery, printed forms, office supplies.....	\$.....		15
	Other sales (show details in block 36, except item 52).....	\$.....		16
	TOTAL SALES PER INQUIRY 4-d.....			\$.....
	STORES NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR			
	Report here any kind of retail business not specifically provided for in preceding blocks, and show details by commodities in block 36 below.			
	Kind of business (specify).....			

SECOND-HAND STORES

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ALL OTHER SALES

36 All stores for which "Other Sales" shown in blocks above *amount to more than five percent of total sales* are to report such sales here in detail. Omit below only the items which are provided in more detail in the specialized block selected for your kind of business. For other items below, report volume of sales as accurately as possible—if none of the commodity is sold report "NONE."

	Key		Key
Meats of all kinds, sea food, poultry.....	\$..... 11	Radios (except auto radios), television, etc. (include radio-phonograph combinations).....	\$..... 37
Fresh fruits and vegetables.....	\$..... 12	Pianos, musical instruments, phonographs, records, music.....	\$..... 38
Milk, eggs, dairy products, ice cream.....	\$..... 13	Household appliances (refrigerators, washers, ironers, cleaners, etc.).....	\$..... 41
Groceries (include candy, soft drinks, bakery products, canned goods, coffee, tea, etc.).....	\$..... 14	Jewelry, silverware, cameras, optical goods, objects of art.....	\$..... 42
Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$..... 15	Luggage, sporting goods, bicycles, toys.....	\$..... 43
Beer, ale.....	\$..... 16	Books, magazines, stationery, souvenirs, pets, philatelic goods.....	\$..... 44
Wines, cordials.....	\$..... 17	Coal, coke, wood, ice (report fuel oil in 25).....	\$..... 45
Meals and fountain or bar.....	\$..... 18	Farm and garden supplies, feed, seeds, plants, fertilizers, cut flowers.....	\$..... 46
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	\$..... 21	Building materials, shingles, roofing, planing-mill products.....	\$..... 47
Drugs, pharmaceuticals, etc., including prescriptions.....	\$..... 22	Hardware, tools, paints, wallpaper, stoves, heating appliances, electrical supplies, small appliances.....	\$..... 48
Perfumes, cosmetics, toiletries.....	\$..... 23	Farm implements, machinery and equipment, harness (report tractors in 31, and not here).....	\$..... 51
Gasoline, oil, grease.....	\$..... 24	Professional and business equipment and supplies.....	\$..... 52
Fuel oil (domestic heating).....	\$..... 25	Other commodities not provided by above classifications.....	\$..... 53
Motor vehicles (new) (cars, trucks, trailers).....	\$..... 26	Second-hand merchandise, except used cars.....	\$..... 54
Used cars and trucks, used parts (except tires, batteries).....	\$..... 27	Rental receipts from cabins and tourist rooms.....	\$..... 55
Auto accessories, auto radios, tires, batteries, etc., including parts.....	\$..... 28	Receipts from repairs, storage, and other services.....	\$..... 56
Motorcycles, tractors, aircraft, motorboats.....	\$..... 31		
Clothing and furnishings—Men's and boys'.....	\$..... 32		
Apparel, furs, accessories—Women's, girls', infants'.....	\$..... 33		
Shoes—(Men's, women's, and children's).....	\$..... 34		
Dry goods, notions, patterns, bedding.....	\$..... 35		
Furniture, floor coverings, home furnishings (except 37, 38, 41), pictures, frames, lamps, and shades.....	\$..... 36		
		TOTAL shown as "Other Sales" in main block.....	

DEPARTMENT STORES, MAIL-ORDER HOUSES, VARIETY STORES, AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORES WITH SALES EXCEEDING \$100,000

(Limited to the four kinds of business specified below)

35 <input type="checkbox"/> Department store. <input type="checkbox"/> Mail-order house.		FURNITURE, HOUSEHOLD, FOOD, OTHER		Key
<input type="checkbox"/> General merchandise store with sales over \$100,000.		Furniture, beds, mattresses, springs.....	\$.....	55
<input type="checkbox"/> Variety store with sales over \$100,000.		Floor coverings.....	\$.....	56
	Key	Draperies, curtains, upholstery.....	\$.....	57
Silks, velvets, rayons.....	11	Lamps and shades.....	\$.....	58
Woolen dress goods.....	12	China and glassware.....	\$.....	61
Wash goods (cottons), linings.....	13	Household appliances (electric and gas).....	\$.....	62
Linens, domestics, sheetings.....	14	Stoves, ranges, burners, stokers.....	\$.....	63
Patterns.....	15	Hardware, tools, paints, electrical supplies.....	\$.....	64
Blankets and comfortables.....	16	Miscellaneous housewares.....	\$.....	65
Laces, trimmings, embroideries, ribbons.....	17	Gift shop, pictures, frames, mirrors.....	\$.....	66
Notions.....	18	Radios, television sets, combinations.....	\$.....	67
Toilet articles, drug sundries.....	21	Pianos, musical instruments, phonographs, records.....	\$.....	68
Silverware, jewelry, cameras, optical.....	22	Toys, sporting goods, bicycles.....	\$.....	71
Umbrellas, canes.....	23	Luggage, trunks, bags, etc.....	\$.....	72
Art needlework, art goods.....	24	Tires, auto accessories.....	\$.....	73
Books, magazines, stationery, philatelic goods.....	25	Gasoline, oil, grease.....	\$.....	74
Plants, cut flowers, seeds.....	26	Fuel oil (domestic heating).....	\$.....	75
APPAREL AND ACCESSORIES		Coal, coke, wood, ice.....	\$.....	76
Neckwear, scarfs, handkerchiefs.....	27	Motor vehicles of all kinds.....	\$.....	77
Millinery.....	28	Building materials, millwork.....	\$.....	78
Gloves—Women's and children's.....	31	Farm implements and machinery.....	\$.....	81
Corsets and brassieres.....	32	Professional and business equipment and supplies.....	\$.....	82
Hosiery—Women's and children's.....	33	Beauty shop, barber shop, workrooms.....	\$.....	83
Knit underwear (all materials).....	34	Candy.....	\$.....	84
Silk and muslin underwear, slips.....	35	Restaurant, luncheonette, fountain.....	\$.....	85
Negligees, robes.....	36	Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco.....	\$.....	86
Infants' wear.....	37	Grocery and food departments of all kinds (include bottled soft drinks but not beer and wine).....	\$.....	87
Handbags, small leather goods.....	38	Liquors (packaged goods).....	\$.....	88
Shoes—Women's and children's.....	41	Beer, wine (bottled or canned).....	\$.....	91
Coats, suits.....	42	TOTAL merchandise departments except basement or bargain annex.....	\$.....	
Fur garments, furs.....	43	BASEMENT OR BARGAIN ANNEX DEPARTMENT		
Dresses.....	44	Dry goods, domestics, blankets (basement).....	\$.....	92
Blouses, skirts, sportswear.....	45	Hosiery, underwear, corsets, millinery, other accessories (basement).....	\$.....	93
Girls' wear.....	46	Coats, suits, furs (basement).....	\$.....	94
Aprons, house dresses, uniforms.....	47	Dresses (basement).....	\$.....	95
MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR		Blouses, skirts, sportswear (basement).....	\$.....	96
Men's clothing.....	48	Girls' and infants' wear (basement).....	\$.....	97
Men's furnishings (except hats, shoes).....	51	Aprons, house dresses, uniforms (basement).....	\$.....	98
Men's hats and caps.....	52	Men's and boys' wear (basement).....	\$.....	01
Boys' wear.....	53	Shoes (basement).....	\$.....	02
Shoes—Men's and boys'.....	54	Home furnishings of all kinds (basement).....	\$.....	03
		Other basement, including second-hand merchandise.....	\$.....	04
		TOTAL basement or bargain annex departments.....	\$.....	05
		TOTAL STORE, per Inquiry 4-d.....		
		(Sales should be reported in basement or bargain annex departments only if similar merchandise is sold also in upstairs departments. Report in regular department and not as basement or annex department if there is no corresponding department upstairs.)		

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